

Voters Okay Frederic School Bond Issue

Election Bulletins

Due to our deadline Tuesday, and our earlier presstime Wednesday morning, it is impossible to carry the complete results of the Frederic School Bond Issue, and the outcome by number of votes for the three winners in the contest for the Grayling City Council.

The banner across the top tells the school voting outcome — winning the three council seats were:

DEREK McEVERS
ROBERT GOLNICK
GEORGIA KNIGHT

[Both election results are unofficial, pending the canvassers report].

Chamber Prepares For 10th Red Coat Roundup

Preparations are underway for the 10th Annual Red Coat Roundup November 14-16 in the City Park. Sponsored by the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce, the promotion draws hunters from throughout the region. "Red Coat Roundup" buttons are sold by chamber members at \$1.00 each and lucky (or skillful) hunters are eligible for \$235 in gift certificates donated by local merchants and the chamber.

The prize deer are displayed on the community buck pole, located underneath the water tower in City Park. A fresh coat of paint will spruce up the buck pole this year, if the weatherman cooperates. The Carling Community Service Caravan has been scheduled and will be on hand to dispense free coffee and comradeship for hunting enthusiasts.

Prizes are awarded to the first ten hunters bringing in bucks, deer with largest rack, heaviest buck, first women hunter bringing in a buck, and the youngest successful hunter. Displayed bucks will be guarded around the clock.

2nd Artist Course Series Offering

Grayling High School To Host CMU Symphony Orchestra

The 60-member Central Michigan University Symphony Orchestra will perform in Grayling on Saturday, November 8, at 8:00 p.m., in the Joseph Stride Auditorium. This concert is the second of the six programs which comprise the Crawford-AuSable Community Schools' Artist Course Series. The CMU Symphony is making a return appearance in Grayling this year, having opened the Artist Course Series last year.

This year's program will begin with "Evening Prayer" from "Hansel and Gretel," by Engelbert Humperdinck. The first part of the program will then close with Vittorio Giannini's "Symphony No. 2". During the entire second half of the show, the Symphony will present "Four Symphonic Sketches" by George Chadwick, consisting of "Jubilee," "Noel," "Hobgoblin," and "A Vagrom Ballad." These sketches embody the synthesis of so-called "Boston Classicism" and out-and-out "Americanism."

The Symphony orchestra, which is comprised of 90% university music-majors and 10% non-majors, is one of two orchestras at CMU. The other is a chamber orchestra made up of music faculty and advanced students.

Dr. Paul Willwerth, who conducts both orchestras, comes to CMU with an eminent background. He has been trumpet for the Boston Symphony and Boston "Pops" Orchestra; he has been solo-clarinettist with the United States Military Academy Band, and has played with several other major orchestras. Conducting since 1940, Dr. Willwerth has worked under several world-famous conductors and teachers and has conducted nearly every musical media and form, choral and instrumental, from oratorio to symphony.

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Bear Archery's Catalog Salutes Their Employees



The new 1976 Bear Archery Catalog now available, features the employees of Bear Archery, as well as what life is like in a small Northern Michigan community. The people at Bear Archery are proud of their community and of the quality archery equipment they produce at Rural Route One, and would like to share the latest developments in Bear Archery products with you.

For the second year, in succession, archery has, along with tennis, ranked as the fastest growing sport in America, according to surveys by the National Sporting Goods Association. The '76 Bear Archery Catalog and equipment have been designed with the influx of new archers in mind: The catalog has something of interest for everybody, be they neophyte or expert, field or target archer, bowhunter or armchair adventurer. New products introduced in the '76 Bear Archery catalog include the Polar II Compound Bow. The Polar II is a new economy compound bow with all of the features of the higher priced compounds. The Polar II features four (4) adjustable weights of 35, 50, 55, and 60 pounds with a break-off point of 50 percent.

Other new products introduced are: The Fred Bear Convertible Stand; The New Super-S Broadhead; The Fred Bear Archery Rack; Weatherrest; Match-1 Rest; Spring Arrow Rest; Compound Bow Cases; and Bear Weathers, plus many more exciting new archery innovations in the Bear line.

Free copies of the new 1976 Bear Archery Catalog: Rural Route One, may be obtained by visiting your local Bear Archery Dealer, or by writing: Bear Archery, Dept. PR, Rural Route One, Grayling, Michigan 49738.

Crawford County Avalanche

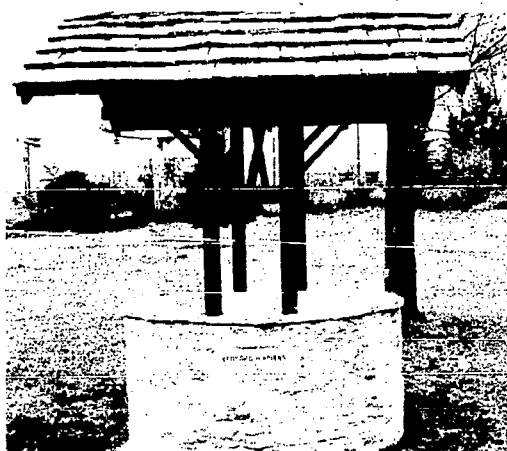
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Knibbs Memorial Is Completed



A wishing well built with contributions to the Leonard H. Knibbs memorial fund has been completed near the Crawford County Historical Museum in the Grayling City Park.

The memorial fund was created after Mr. Knibbs' death in January 1974. A lifelong resident of Crawford County, he had a deep respect for the area's past as well as a concern for its future. The wishing well stands just south of a foot-bridge over the AuSable River which was dedicated to Mr. Knibbs last year in recognition of his service on the Grayling City Council and the Crawford County Board of Commissioners.

Visitors to the park and museum who toss coins into the well will make not only wishes but also donations to the Crawford County Historical Society. All money collected from the well will be added to the historical society's treasury.

Set in the fieldstone base of the well is a commemorative stone which reads:

IN MEMORY OF
LEONARD H. KNIBBS

His life was gentle, and the elements so mixed in him that Nature might stand up and say to all the world, "This was a man!" Shakespeare.

Frederic Buck Contest

November 15 & 16

The Frederic Business Association will sponsor their Annual Buck Contest again this year.

Prizes will be awarded in the following categories:
First Buck In \$25.00
Buck With the Largest Rack \$25.00
Woman with First Buck In \$15.00
Youngest Hunter with First Buck In \$10.00
(Must be 17 years of age or under)

Ladies, please note that if you were the first hunter in with the largest rack, you would win the first three categories.

You must be pre-registered to qualify for this contest. The Official Buck Contest Key Chains are available at the Frederic Business places, and the cost is \$1.00.

The Official Checking Station will be Newberry's General Store, Mobil Station, U.S. 27 North, Frederic, Michigan 49733.

Don't forget the dates, November 15 and 16. The contest closes Sunday, November 16th at 7:00 p.m.

Be sure to pre-register at your local Frederic businesses and join in the fun! Safe hunting!

Notice to Vets

Gene Dalgard, American Legion District Service Officer, will be at the Grayling American Legion Post from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Friday, November 7, to assist veterans or veteran's dependents who need assistance with any Veteran's program. Bring along all papers and identification.

Arthur Thayer

40 et 8 Fish Fry

Voiture 1495, 40 et 8, will hold a Fish Fry Friday, November 14th, from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m., at the American Legion Hall. Proceeds will go to benefit nurses training. The charge for adults is \$2.75 and \$1.50 for children under 12.

CHICKEN DINNER

SUNDAY, NOV. 9th
The Foreign Study League is sponsoring a chicken dinner Sunday, November 9th, at the American Legion Hall. Serving will be from 2:00 until 5:00. Price will be \$2.50 for adults and \$1.75 for students, K thru 8.

NOTICE TO ALL NEW RESIDENTS

On Monday, November 10th, Welcome Wagon will have its first fall meeting at Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. at 7:30 p.m. All new women who would like to meet other residents are cordially invited to attend. Come and join our new hostess Sharon Allen. For more information, please call 348-9464 after 5:00.

Mary Oppermann

Our Weather

(Courtesy of Chuck Fick)

Oct.	High	Low
27	63	38
28	56	29
29	45	17
30	43	17
31	57	36
1	60	44
2	63	32

New Mill Starts Production Here

Crawford County's newest major industry, a \$3 million automated lumber mill of Lake Woods Forest Product, Inc., began operation on Monday, Oct. 27th.

The major wood utilization complex is constructed on a 105 acre site in Grayling Township on 4-Mile Road, one mile east of I-75, south of Grayling.

Officers of the corporation are, Michael C. Henriksen, President; Albert L. Quaal, Vice-President Operations and Charles Ealy, C.P.A., Vice-President Finance.

Henriksen, a native of Marquette, holds a BS degree in Forestry from Michigan Technology University, Houghton. Quaal is a native of Ishpeming and holds a BS degree in Business Administration from Northern Michigan University. Marquette, while Ealy, a CPA, is a native of Pontiac and holds a BS degree in Accounting from Michigan State University.

Other key members of the

[See New Mill on Page 2]

3 Sentenced in Circuit Court

On November 3, the following persons appeared before the Honorable William A. Porter, Circuit Judge for the 46th Judicial District in Grayling.

Robert John Gillett, of Grayling was sentenced to a term of 5 to 10 years in the Southern Michigan State Prison at Jackson, with a credit for 426 days spent in the Crawford County jail. Gillett was found guilty by the Court in a trial without jury of embezzlement of an amount in excess of \$100.00 from the Best Gas Station here.

Thomas Gregory Haskins, of Grayling, was sentenced to a term of 90 days in the Crawford County jail after having pleaded guilty to unlawful entry. In addition, he was sentenced to a term of 3 1/2 to 5 years to be served in the Southern Michigan State Prison at Jackson, with credit for 137 days spent in the local jail. Haskins entered a plea of guilty to violation of probation which had earlier been ordered by the Court after his conviction of the crime of larceny from a motor vehicle.

Jerri Lynn Murphy of Grayling, was placed on 24 months probation and ordered to spend the last 60 days thereof in the Crawford County jail unless her probationary conduct is exemplary after having entered a plea of guilty to a charge of aiding and assisting a prisoner to escape from Camp Lehigh. Miss Murphy was further ordered to pay costs in the amount of \$400.00.

Men Invited

Full Gospel Businessmen's Fellowship. All men invited. Every Saturday at 8:00 a.m. Holiday Inn Grayling, Michigan.

Crawford County Historical Soc.

[By Mrs. Walter Truettner]
The Crawford County Historical Society Board members held its last meeting of the year on Wednesday, October 22nd.

Election of officers was the main business on the agenda. Elmer Fenton was re-elected Curator, Mrs. Helen Moon president, Mrs. Elaine Harland vice-president and Mrs. Betty Millikin re-elected secretary-treasurer. Board members, past president, Mrs. Walter Truettner, Mrs. Ruth Caldwell, Miss Margaret Douglas and Mr. Conrad Owens. One new member was added, Mrs. Mary Jane Knibbs.

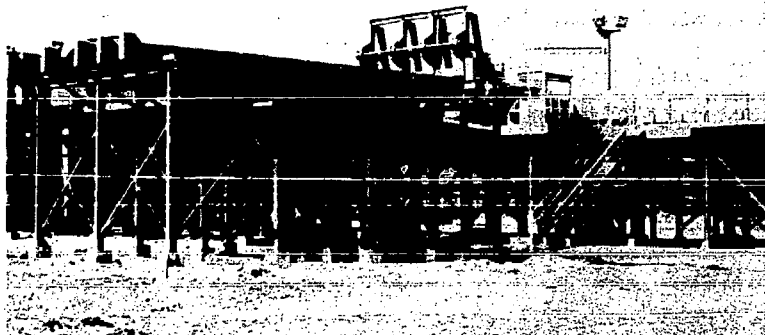
We are hoping to secure more Board members before the museum opens in the spring. Again we were very fortunate to have the R.S.V.P. ladies under the direction of Mrs. Helen Moon take charge of the museum on the days it was open. We were very pleased with the attendance. 1,948 people visited the museum from the time it opened in June until it closed the last of September.

We did not reach our membership goal of 500 but we just about tripled what we had at the beginning of the season. Thanks for this can be given to Elmer Fenton, our curator who personally contacted nearly 100 people. This besides carpenter work and picture framing at the museum, taking trips over the entire portion of Crawford County looking for information on its history and taking pictures.

Shortly before the museum closed we had a wonderful gift from Jack Hull. It was one of the first permanent wave machines on the market and belonged to his mother, the late Mrs. Frank Snyder who owned and operated a beauty shop. You must see this "torture machine" when the museum opens in the spring.

Also have you noticed the wishing well in the front yard? This is a memorial to the late Leonard Knibbs. It being so late in the season the water was not turned on. But when spring comes it will have a grill over it and also a drinking fountain beside it. We are very grateful to Mrs. Knibbs for this. It is unique and will beautify our grounds.

We have had many wonderful things loaned and given to us this year and we appreciate it very much. This being just the second year in operation we are very pleased with its progress and we know next year will be even better. Again we wish to extend our thanks to the R.S.V.P. ladies and to all who made it a successful year.



PUT-TAKE DECKS and Cutoff Saw Cab is portion of Lake Woods large lumber complex. (Avalanche Photos)



OFFICIALS AT OPEN HOUSE—Craig Bush, of Philadelphia, Pa., second from left, representative of Scott-Paper Co., joined officers of Lake Woods Forest Product, Inc., from left, Chuck Ealy, V-P Finance, President Mike Henriksen, and Al Quaal, V-P Operations, at the open house of the new Mill Friday, October 24th, attended by over 350 invited guests.

Vikes Lose Final Contest

It was Halloween night, and the Cheboygan Chiefs pulled the tricks on the Vikings to walk off the gridiron with a 26-9 win in the final Michigan - Huron Shores Conference game that made little difference in the league standings.

The Petoskey Northmen had clinched the title last week, and put the topping on the cake with a 44-14 breeze over St. Ignace, to finish with a 7-0 league mark and an 8-1 season record. In

other league action, Charlevoix thumped the winless Gaylord Blue Devils, 53-0, and Rogers City edged Boyne City, 15-14.

In a rough, hard hitting game, the visiting Chiefs rolled up 12 points in the fourth quarter on two long runs to put the game out of reach for the Vikings, who finished with a 2-7 overall record, with the Chiefs matching them.

Will Roach, Viking tailback rushed for over 200 yards again to boost his season total to 1307 yards, only 79 yards short of Cliff Bonamie's single season record.

The Vikings scoring came on a touchdown pass from Mark Golnick to Craig Hinkle, and Dan Bonamie kicked the extra point. Dave White received credit for 2 points when he tackled a Cheboygan back in the endzone for a safety.

Penalties again hurt the Vikes, as they had 195 yards

walked off against them, while the visitors had 125 yards against them.

Larry Baynham, Viking defensive captain, did an outstanding job on defense as he turned in 8 solo tackles, assisted on 12, and had 2 fumble recoveries for his nights work.

Thoughts now turn to the hardcourt, and the madness of the round ball for the Vikings.

18th Annual Chamber Dinner

[By Mike Steele]

With a sold-out audience in attendance, the 18th Annual Chamber of Commerce Dinner took place on Thursday evening, October 30, at Chief Shoppenagons Motor Hotel, and provided a stimulating evening of fellowship and education.

Following the excellent dinner prepared by the Hotel, James H. Hall, Executive Vice President of the East-Michigan Tourist Association, was introduced. He gave a brief talk on the importance of financial support by county government. By state law, counties are permitted to allocate up to 1/2 mill of county taxes for tourist promotion, yet this year, no funds were allocated for this purpose.

The evenings dinner speaker, [See Chamber on Page 2]

ASSOCIATION TO MEET

The Downtown Business Association will meet Thursday, November 6th, at 12:00 Noon at Chief Shoppenagons Hotel.

Snowmobile Safety Class At New High School

With the co-operation of Howard Taylor, the Crawford County Sheriff Department will hold a snowmobile safety class for all youngsters 12 years old or older.

This is the second in a series of classes to be offered by this department, with meetings each day November 17th through November 21st, 1975 from 3:30 to 4:50 p.m. at the new High School on Old 27 north.

Classes will cover the safe operation of a snowmobile, trail emergencies and Michigan law relating to snowmobiles. The class is aimed at those youngsters who need to earn the certificate in order to ride a snowmobile without parent supervision, however, all adults are urged to attend.

Classes will be limited to twenty four students. To have a spot reserved for you, please contact Deputy Coe at the Sheriff Department by calling 348-6341. The Classes are free of charge!

Holiday Inn Announces Promotion



Mrs. Hertha Laupmanis took over her new duties as the Innkeeper at the Holiday Inn in Grayling on November 1, Ron Fraser announced today.

Hertha, as she is so affectionately called by her friends and employees, recently graduated from Holiday Inn University in Memphis, Tenn. which is the training center for Prospective Innkeepers for the Holiday Inn Systems. She was born in Vienna, Austria, and graduated from Vienna College with a major in Home Economics and Institutional management training.

She is the widow of the former Rev. Janis Laupmanis, minister of the United Methodist Church. During Rev. Laupmanis' ministry, Hertha traveled with her husband, lecturing in Churches, Clubs, School Assemblies and Colleges.

In addition to the above mentioned qualifications her certifications as a Adult Laboratory Instructor will assist her in her administrative duties at the Holiday Inn.

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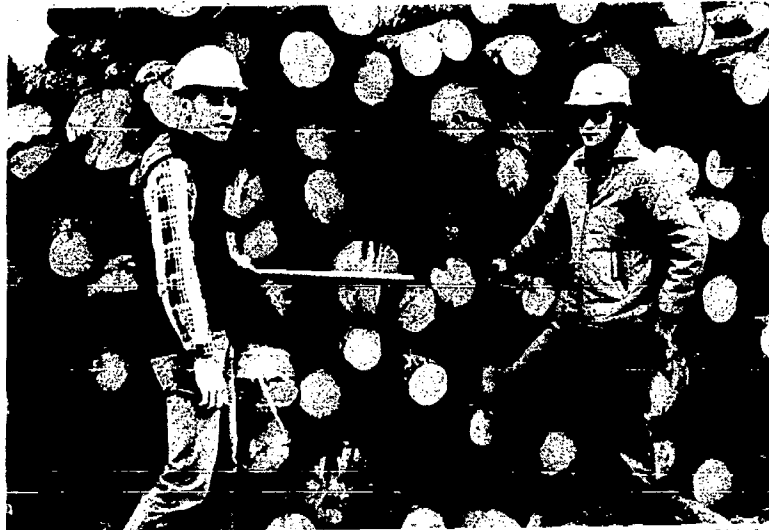
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New Mill

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plant are Randy DeGrow, Chief Forester; Tom Miller, Production Manager and Jerry Skidmore, Office Manager.

According to Mr. Henricksen, the plant is employing 25 persons in a single-shift operation at present, and will employ between 50 and 60 at peak, double shift operation. This does not include supporting personnel handling wood harvesting in the field and truckers, he stated.

Quaal stated that the company had screened over 100 applications before finding their basic personnel before beginning operations. Their criteria is to employ people who will work as a team, and if at all possible

to hire locally.

The plant will manufacture a wide variety of lumber, including grade lumber pole cross-arms, railroad ties, seawall timber, and building studs, which will be marketed throughout the United States.

A unique aspect of the milling operation is that there is no waste. All chips are sold to either pulp or other consumer users, with S. D. Warren and Co., a subsidiary of Scott Paper Co., of Muskegon buying pine chips, and the Packaging Corp. of America plant at Manistee purchasing aspen chips. Lake Woods is an affiliate of Scott Paper Company. Sawdust is used for fuel and other purposes.

At peak operation, the mill will produce 150,000 board feet of lumber per day, on a two shift basis.

At present Lake Woods will use a 75-mile range for wood products; later if necessary up to a 150-mile range. These logs are taken from the wood yard into the plant where a series of automated milling operations will cut the wood into green dimension stock, or for shipment to kiln drying centers for drying and planing. In the future, Lake Woods will add kiln drying and planing facilities to the operation.

Bill Tarr, area Forester for the DNR was instrumental in locating the site for Lake Woods Forest Products to build on, Quaal concluded.

Cub Scout Cake Competition

Cub Scout Pack 993 of Grayling will hold their annual Father-Son cake bake competition on Tuesday, November 18, at 7:30 p.m. at the Elementary School. Your completed cake must be brought to the meeting.

Rules are that the bottom layer must be made from a recipe for a nine inch layer cake but they may be as high as you like and they must be made from scratch - no mixes. This is a father-son competition (no help from mom allowed).

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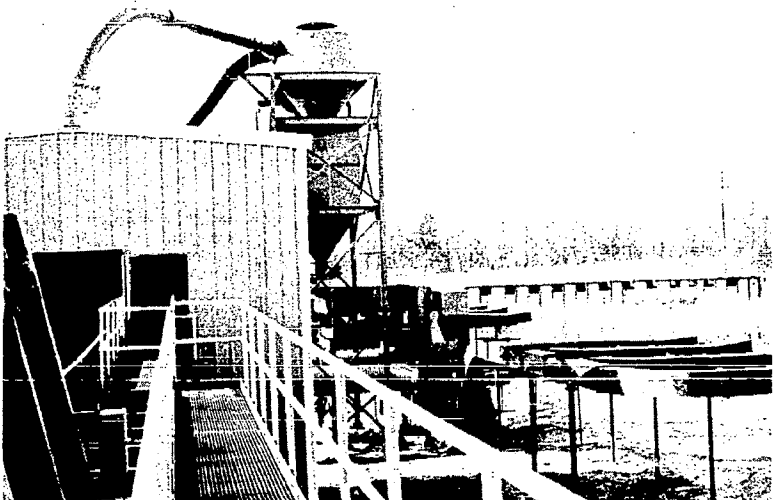
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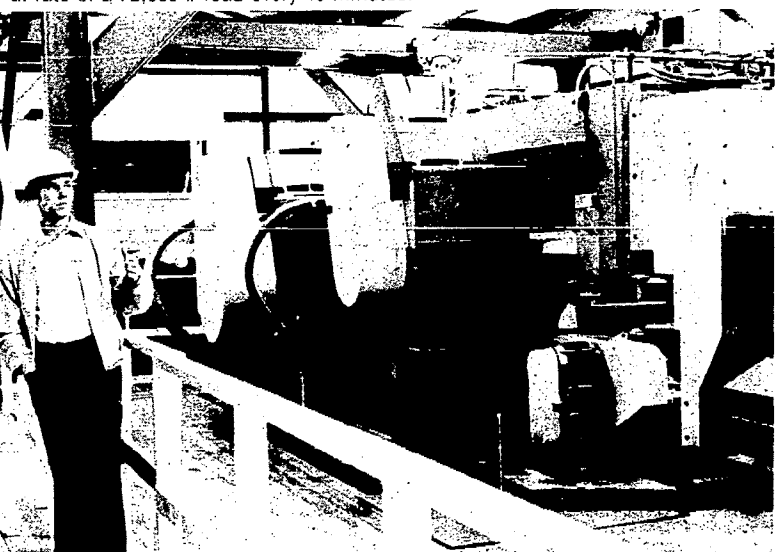
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Chamber

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Jack S. Wilson, Executive Director of the Michigan Travel Bureau spoke on the importance of tourism to the State economy. Mr. Wilson pointed out that tourism is Michigan's 2nd largest industry, and has proven to be a very stable industry, even during unfavorable economic conditions. He further noted that for every dollar invested in tourist promotion 100 dollars in community revenue were generated, and all businesses benefited.

Paul Thomson, President of the Chamber, acted as Master of Ceremonies. Honored were outgoing board members, Phyllis Sauter, Larry Mattis, and Bob Lemire. Mr. Jack Alef gave a very appropriate invocation.

Thomson called for continued support and increased input of ideas and criticism on the part of the general membership. Manager Steele thanked everyone for attending and promised increased effort in the promotion of Crawford County.

Mrs. William Kraus acted as chairman of the dinner, with special assistance from Mrs.

Paul Thomson, Mrs. George Stancil, and Mike and Pam Steele.

Door prizes were graciously donated by the following businesses: Francois Gifts Unusual, the Village Shop, Glen's Market, Davis Jewelry, Grayling Pharmacy, Elias Big Boy, Grayling Office Supply, Gambles, Krumrei Distributing and the Holiday Inn.

Winning the door prizes were: Bernie Mauren, Charlotte Rochette, Thelma Madsen, Leon Rochette, Fred Bear, Violet Ruhl, Amy McMichael, Wayne Dackmarsh and Betty Lemire.

Winners of the special prizes awarded by the Chamber were Ray McMichael (1st prize), Paul Lerg (2nd prize), Terry Valdick (3rd prize), and Bill Kelly (Centerpiece - Flowers by Josie).

BOY SCOUT PAPER DRIVE

Grayling Boy Scout Troop 997 is having a paper drive. Anyone having papers to donate, please leave them at Goodale's Bakery or call 348-9414.

West Branch Tennis Club Progressing

More than 150 prospective indoor tennis enthusiasts have registered to date for free clinic lessons at West Branch's new indoor facility to begin on Saturday, December 6th and Sunday, December 7th. Three tennis professionals headed by Chuck Brinard of Bay City will work with classes of ten or less for approximately one hour at times assigned by the Club.

Registrants varied in age from eight to well over fifty with the largest concentration between eighteen and thirty-five. The northeastern area is well represented in that a County count indicates the following: Ogemaw 83; Iosco 34; Roscommon 17; Arenac 13 and the balance Gladwin, Crawford and Oscoda.

Club spokesman said they will continue to accept applications until they reach 200, the maximum that this particular program can effectively handle. Those that have registered will receive personal notice of their clinic assignment.



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From Our Corner...

It is that time again for us to come up with something we feel may be of interest to our readers that we may pass on from our corner...

We lost our notebook, and probably a good thing — there were a couple gems in it — and if it turns up, we will pass them on, but in the meantime this column is a struggle.

So we hope you will bear with it as we hit upon a couple sidebars...

With our bicentennial fast approaching, the officials at the Grayling State Bank are to be complimented on the recent decision of having the parking meters and street sign poles painted in the colors of old glory — around the bank — possibly the rest downtown could also be done, they are certainly distinctive and add to main street.

We were asked the other night how the bigger boss, T. J. was getting along, and when we finished extolling, we're sure this lady will not ask us again. But for those interested, she will be with us this weekend, and I will be in Pon-Met Stadium for the battle between the Lions & Browns and will miss part of the battle of the bosses.

We would like to clarify once again that all letters to our "Mailbox" do not wind up in the paper, due to the fact they are libelous, unsigned, have no readership qualities, and never when they are received on Monday or Tuesday when we have no way of checking out how authentic it is.

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

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23 YEARS AGO
November 6, 1952

Baskets of white baby mums and greens decorated the chancel of Michelson Memorial Church Saturday evening, November 1st, when Miss Jeanine Evelyn Sorenson became the bride of William Earl Jensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jensen. Jeanine is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thorvald Sorenson.

Miss Anna Nielsen returned to her home in Grand Rapids Sunday after spending a week here.

Rita Barber was home from Bay City over the weekend. She is in college there.

From the amount of buildings upset in town Friday night we judge the youngsters had a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Parsons and daughter Patricia of Royal Oak, spent a few days vacationing with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parsons. While here they visited relatives in Rogers City and Houghton Lake.

Airman First Class, Gerald A. McEvers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. McEvers of Grayling, Michigan, was recently rotated to the Zone of Interior after completing a tour of duty with the 58th Strategic Reconnaissance Squadron, Medium, Weather. Upon arriving in the states, McEvers will be assigned duty with the 5th Air Rescue Squadron at Westover Air Force Base, Massachusetts.

Lake Margrethe Home Extension Group met at the home of Mrs. Richard Lovely Wednesday of last week. A planned meal was cooked and, of course, eaten. Mrs. Elise Rasmussen was a guest.

Rex Hunter son of Mrs. Matilda Hunter and George Kessler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Kessler have enlisted in the army and left for Detroit Wednesday of last week where they took their physical examinations.

Kay Ann LaMotte, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert LaMotte, entertained 16 of her friends at a Halloween party Wednesday evening of last week. The guests came costumed. Judy Sorenson was given a prize for the funniest costume and Claudette Long for the prettiest. Bob Strong and Bill Martin won the couple prize and Bill a prize for the most outstanding costume. Prizes were also awarded to contest winners. Dancing was enjoyed and of course refreshments. All had a grand time.

Miss Joan Bond of Michigan State College spent the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond and brothers, Jim and John. She was very pleased recently to be accepted as a member of the Varsity band. Joan plays the flute.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood and son Ronald of Midland spent the weekend in Beaver Creek visiting her mother, Mrs. Ellen Failing.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strong and son Bob and Bill Martin were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Elstons at Lake St. Heien.

46 YEARS AGO
November 7, 1929

George McCullough returned last week from a visit in Chicago and also with his daughter, Mrs. George Land and family at Dowagiac.

Charles Hill who has been a patient at Mercy Hospital with a foot infection was dismissed Tuesday. Mrs. Harry LaBarge took Mr. Hill's place in school and Mrs. Lorraine Sparks took charge of Mrs. LaBarge's grade.

To say that Mr. and Mrs. David Montour were proud of their new arrival would just be putting it mild. It was a boy, born Tuesday at Mercy Hospital. With seven girls in the family who wouldn't be happy over a new son.

Louis Cassidy and Joe Cassidy attended a K of C meeting in Alpena Sunday.

Frank Brady of Saginaw spent Sunday in Grayling visiting the John Brady and B. J. Callahan families.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schable, daughter of Beverly and Son George Jr., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher in Lansing Saturday and Sunday.

A. J. Clark of Watervliet is the new telephone lineman for the local telephone exchange. Mr. Clark expects to be here permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Milnes had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Martin and Cyril Martin of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Alex McKinnon of Clare.

Mrs. Thomas Washer of Pennington, N. Y., is visiting her sister Mrs. M. A. Bates, her first visit here in 17 years.

Mrs. Alfred Hanson was hostess to ten ladies at her home last Friday evening to honor Miss Agnes Hanson who was leaving for Detroit. Cards were enjoyed. Misses Olga Nielsen and Ilean Granger received the prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. William Peterson of St. Ignace were Sunday visitors at the J. L. Martin home.

Last Thursday Virginia Scott had seven little girl friends as her guests at a six o'clock chicken dinner. Games were enjoyed by all, prizes being won by Gloria McNeven and Patricia Montour.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kraus are leaving this morning to spend a week in Detroit and expect to attend the Michigan vs. Harvard game in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Earl Gierke returned home Tuesday morning from Grand Rapids having completed his course at the Davenport McLaughlin Institute. Next year he expects to enter into the University of Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rasmussen (Fedora Tetu) are receiving congratulations on the arrival of twins a boy and a girl at the Mercy Hospital. The little girl weighed 6 pounds while her brother weighed 5 pounds 6 ounces. They have not yet been named.

Mrs. Louis Herbison entertained twelve ladies at her home last Thursday evening. Mrs. Harry LaBarge, Mrs. Joseph McLeod and Mrs. Esbern Olson received prizes in a number of contests.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Trudeau Jr., and little son and Mrs. J. H. Wingard visited relatives and friends here over the weekend. The Trudeaus are moving from Ithaca to Midland. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Trudeau and daughter Gwenivere accompanied them to Midland where they will spend a couple of days.

Mrs. George Barber entertained a few friends Tuesday evening honoring her sister-in-law, Mrs. Erwin Haskins, the occasion being her birthday.

Gov. Fred W. Green dropped into town out of the clouds Monday nodded a head and passed a smile to Rube Babbitt and shook himself saying that "This isn't what it's cracked up to be" meaning cold weather flying and then hopped into a car with R. A. Wright, superintendent of the AuSable Furs, Inc., and drove away to look over a pheasant ranch near Luzerne.

69 YEARS AGO
November 8, 1906

P. Borchers is enjoying a weeks outing on Portage Lake. C. W. Amidon, D. defeated George F. Owen, R, for sheriff by 7 votes.

Walmer Jorgenson, D, was elected Treasurer over A. P. W. Becker, R, by majority of 192. Rolla Brink, R, defeated John Leece, D, for Register of Deeds by 360 ballots.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank Dr. Henig, the nurses, nurses aides on the 2nd floor at Mercy Hospital for taking such good care of me, while I was a patient there. I love you all & may God bless...

Donald (Doni) Bentley

The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

Death of America

As I write this article, Grayling is quiet and most of you are still asleep. The burden upon my heart is so great that we shall interrupt our current series on prophecy and ask you to share with us in prayer and concern for our beloved country. I am totally convinced that the judgment of God is already falling upon our nation. Only a sincere revival of repentance from sin can spare us from national destruction and eventual slavery.

The free enterprise system which made our nation the greatest in the world is almost destroyed by bureaucratic blunders and creeping socialism on the part of the government, and greed coupled with loss of morality in management and labor. It is ironic that the greatest socialist nation on the earth must come to us to avoid starvation. They cannot give us their oil unless we will provide them with the modern technology to develop it. After 50 years of isolated opportunity with an abundance of natural resources, Russia has proven to the world that socialism is totally unable to compete with free enterprise. Nevertheless, the world is being forced into socialism by propaganda and organized terror. The communists have repeatedly vowed that capitalism must be destroyed before their "superior" socialist system can benefit man. The American concept of freedom must die before the world can be forced to live in slavery. The only area of real growth in which Russia is gaining superiority is in military strength or her ability to destroy, while our strength remains in our ability to build.

We are threatened even more from within as the number of ultra-liberals, who give the appearance of being hard-core Marxists, invade our honorable legislative body in Washington. Some of the legislation now proposed within our own government would have been too liberal for the socialist party of a generation ago.

Religious freedom upon which our country was founded is being attacked on every side. The House of Representatives this year at the last minute defeated a law prohibiting non-profit organizations from borrowing money. A bill will be considered this month in the House Ways and Means Committee which would remove contributions to non-profit organizations from a tax exempt status. Not only will this effect churches, but even organizations like the American Heart Association and the American Cancer Society could be almost

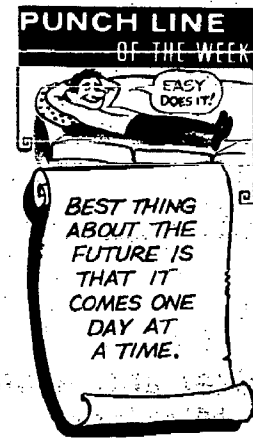
destroyed. And who would replace their efforts? The Federal Government?

The increasing encroachment of government into church affairs has necessitated the forming of the "Christian Legal Defense and Education Foundation" to defend and give legal assistance to Bible-believing Christians whose liberties are being threatened.

The most dangerous piece of legislation now before Congress is "The Child & Family Service Act of 1975" (Senate: S262 & House (HR2966). If passed this bill will take away the responsibility of the parents to raise their children and give it to the Government. The "Charter of Children's Rights of the National Council of Civil Liberties" is becoming a part of this act. Two items proposed in this charter as found on page 44138 of the Congressional Record: 1) "Children have the right to protection from any excessive claims made on them by their parents or authority." The question was asked, by way of example, what do you mean by the fact "excessive claim", and the example was given, "If the mother or father asked the child to take the garbage out and the child doesn't want to, the parents have no right to insist on it." 2) "Children have the right to freedom from religious or political indoctrination." In other words, you cannot insist on taking them to church, reading the Bible to them in the home or even telling them about Jesus Christ unless they want to hear it.

We need to first pray for our leaders and then let them know how we feel about these matters. Democracy is dying and all our freedoms are under attack! Do you really care enough to be involved? (adv.)

Pastor Barnett



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Melvin Nunn Honored

Melvin G. Nunn, Grayling Elementary School principal was honored at the 50th Annual Conference of the Michigan Assn. of Elementary School Principals at Grand Rapids on October 28-30. He was chosen as Principal of the Year from Region 13 which comprises 21 northern counties of the Lower Peninsula and presented with an appropriate plaque on Wednesday evening at the Pantlind Hotel.

The opening day of the Conference, Tuesday, October 28th, was highlighted by the Keynote Speaker, Dr. George Garver, of the Livonia Schools. Scheduled in-service programs included: The Role of the Principal in In-Service Education, Outdoor Education, Professional Training, Career Education - and Elementary School Evaluation.

The State Department of Education presented several innovative programs found in various school districts in the State of Michigan, such as: Parent Readiness, Teacher Improvement, Multi-Ethnic Curriculum, and Child Development Through the Arts, among others.

The conference concluded on Thursday at Noon, with guest speaker, Mrs. Jesse Owens.

Approximately 1,000 elementary principals and guests took advantage of the opportunity to attend these sessions and to view over 100 exhibits of educational programs and materials.

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By Willard Bosserman, County Extension Director

Yes, you can do it. You can weatherproof your home to make it more comfortable and save dollars on your heat bill, and it conserves energy too. The best part of it is that you can do some of the things yourself.

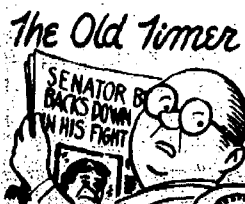
You can learn what to do, what part you can do and what part you will need to hire done. You can learn of other helps that might be available to you at a meeting to teach do-it-yourself weatherproofing.

The one for Roscommon County will be in the basement of the County Building, Roscommon, 7:30, Wednesday, November 19th. The one for Crawford County will be in the Grayling High School starting at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, November 20th.

Other do-it-yourself sessions are scheduled for December 9th and 10th at the same places. This will be on electrical repairs you can make yourself.

The third and last in the series will be January 21st and 22nd. The subject matter of those two sessions will be on fixing those leaky faucets.

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IN MEMORIAM

Beatrice M. Desso. In loving memory of my wife, mother and grandmother who passed away one year ago today, November 9th, 1974. We cannot bring the old days back when we were all together, but secret tears and loving thoughts will last with us forever.

Sadly missed by: husband, daughters and granddaughters.

Feed Freezing

When freezing any food, date all the packages before placing in the freezer. When you use these foods, use the oldest packages first.

Monday Services For Mrs. Carrie McClain

Funeral services were held Monday at St. Mary's Church for Mrs. Carrie McClain, 73, of AuSage Acres, who passed away at Mercy Hospital Thursday, October 30th. She was born March 27, 1900 in Sebewaing and had been a resident of Grayling for 70 years. She was a member of St. Mary's Church.

Rev. Father Martin Toolis officiated at the 10 o'clock service and burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Mrs. McClain is survived by five sons; Jack of Grand Rapids, F. J. of Detroit, Jerry, James and Robert, all of Grayling; one daughter, Mrs. Sally Papendick of Grayling; four brothers; Francis LaGrow and Henry LaGrow, both of Detroit, and Wesley LaGrow and William LaGrow, both of Grayling; three sisters; Doris Seymour and Yvonne Overly, both of Detroit; and Zilda Dreher, Allen Park; 21 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

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Final Rites Held For Anita Lozon, 42

Miss Anita J. Lozon, 42, of Frederic died Tuesday, October 28, at her home. She was born in Frederic July 8, 1933 and lived her entire life there. She was an order clerk at Bear Archery, a member of the Frederic Hobby Club, a Girl Scout Leader, a member of the Frederic Homecoming Committee and the Over the Hill Gang. She was also a member of St. Mary's Church.

Funeral services were held Friday at St. Mary's Church with Rev. Father Martin Toolis officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery, Frederic. Rosary was recited at Sorenson Funeral Home Thursday evening.

Miss Lozon is survived by her mother, Mrs. Ann Lozon of Frederic, and one brother, Robert Lozon of the Grand Canyon Islands. Her father preceded her in death.

Serving as pallbearers were Jim Madill, Chester Johnston, Jack Bigham, Alan Leng, Bill Moody and Fred Turner.

Services Held For Mrs. Eva Scott, 70

Mrs. Eva M. Scott, 70, of Roscommon passed away Tuesday, October 28, at Munson Medical Center in Traverse City. She was born August 12, 1905 in Canada and had been a resident of Roscommon County for 48 years. She had lived in Grayling prior to that. She was a housewife and a member of St. Elizabeth Episcopal Church and Order of Eastern Stars #50 of Roscommon.

Funeral services were held at St. Elizabeth Church on Thursday with Father Robert McDougall officiating. Burial was in Higgins Cemetery.

Mrs. Scott is survived by her husband, LeRoy; one daughter, Mrs. James (Nilah) Mason of Breckenridge; two grandchildren, all of Houston, and one sister, Camilla Sorenson of Grayling. Funeral services were held in Houston on Thursday, October 31.

Former Resident Dies in Texas

Mrs. Margaret Fischer Engler passed away in Houston, Texas on October 28 at the age of 90. She was born in Grayling October 30, 1885. Survivors include one daughter, Katherine Wetzel and three grandchildren, all of Houston, and one sister, Camilla Sorenson of Grayling. Funeral services were held in Houston on Thursday, October 31.

District Court Action

The following appeared in the 83rd District Court before Judge Francis L. Walsh:

Christine Louella Nutt, 18, of Grayling, was bound over to Circuit Court on the following counts: Breaking and entering a coin operated device, 3 NSF Checks within 10 days, and 2 counts of Forgery. Total cash-surety bond for all four counts was \$5,000.00.

Debra Ann Doyle, 23, of St. Helen, and David Michael Deforest, 18, of Haslett both pleaded guilty to a charge of impaired driving. The two received sentences to pay \$184.00 or serve 14 days in jail. Deforest was arrested September 14, and Doyle was arrested by City Police October 26.

David Henry Thomas Rice, 21, of Grayling, pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny under \$100.00. He received a sentence of \$64.00 or 7 days in jail. Rice was arrested on a citizen's complaint October 24.

Martinius John Letts, 17, of Roscommon, was bound over to Circuit Court on a charge of breaking and entering. Bond was set at \$1,000.00. He was arrested on a citizen's complaint September 7.

Edward Lee Helmic, 26, of Grayling, pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and battery. He received a sentence to pay \$84.00 or serve 10 days in jail. Helmic was arrested by City Police March 13.

Keith Alan Schillman, 17, of Flushing, pleaded guilty to a charge of disorderly person by intoxication in a public place. He was sentenced to pay \$64.00 or serve 7 days in jail. Schillman was arrested October 25 by City Policemen.

Richard Wayne Kinney, 23, of Leslie, pleaded guilty to a charge of receiving and concealing stolen property under \$100.00. Total fine and costs were \$204.00 or 30 days in jail. He was arrested by City Policemen September 27.

Douglas Zill, 37, of Jackson, was bound over to Circuit Court on the following two counts: Carrying a concealed weapon and Larceny in a building. A \$10,000.00 cash/surety bond was set. He was arrested on a citizen's complaint October 24.

Robert James Hook, 17, of Flushing, pleaded guilty to a charge of open liquor in a motor vehicle. Total fine and costs were \$44.00 or 5 days in jail. He was arrested by City Policemen October 25.

Some Other Reason
The new Postal Service credo just came out: "Neither snow, nor rain, nor heat, nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds—so there must be some other reason."

Symphony

(Continued From Page 1)

Season passes for this exciting concert are \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for senior citizens and children under twelve. Season passes are on sale at the Grayling Pharmacy.

Individual tickets will be sold at the door. They are priced at \$2.00 for adults, and \$1.00 for senior citizens and children under twelve. The Joseph Stripe Auditorium of Grayling High School is located on Old-27 North, just past the I-75 and M-93 interchange.

Bits O' Talk

By Fay Bovee

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Nunn attended the Elementary Principals conference in Grand Rapids from Tuesday to Thursday of last week.

Jim Knibbs and Tony Ellison arrived home from Colorado on Sunday, October 26th. Jim spent the week with his mother, Mrs. Leonard Knibbs, returning to Denver last Sunday. Tony spent some time in Grayling and also visiting his mother in Alma and will remain for a longer time.

Jana Gates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gates of Dearborn, has been accepted at the Detroit College of Law and will begin classes in January. She graduated from Albion College in 1971 and has been employed in Detroit as a legal secretary.

Six Fined On Conservation Violations

The following appeared before Magistrate Irene Wyman: Donald Lee Adams and Delbert Dale Barbeaux of Manistique, Mi., were charged with willful illegal possession of parts of a deer. Both pleaded guilty and were assessed fine and costs of \$157.00 and must serve 5 days in the Crawford County Jail. In addition the two may not obtain a deer hunting or bear hunting license for the remainder of the year nor for the three succeeding years. They were arrested September 5th by Conservation Officers.

Curtis M. Marshall, David Allen Hay and Russell Mudge were arrested on a charge for "Take or attempt to take game with the aid of an artificial light". All three pleaded guilty to the charge and were assessed fine and costs of \$107.00 and they may not secure a hunting license of any kind for the remainder of the year 1975 or for the year of 1976. They were arrested October 23 by Conservation Officers.

Bennie Keith Labo of Vanderbilt pleaded guilty to a charge of Possession of an Owl. Total fine and costs were \$107.00 and \$100.00 restitution. He was arrested October 5th.

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To The Residents Of Grayling Township

Please be notified that there will be a Public Hearing at the Township Office, 103 James Street, Grayling, Michigan at 7:30 p.m., November 18, 1975, of the Township Board of Appeals to consider the request to relocate the Four Seasons Retail Sales from the south I-75 Business - Loop to Grayling Mobile Estates community center area on North Down River Road.

Plat maps may be examined at the Township Office during regular business hours.

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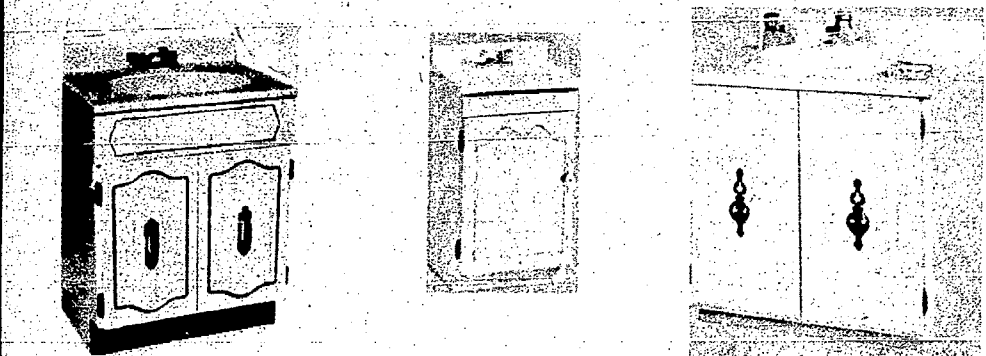
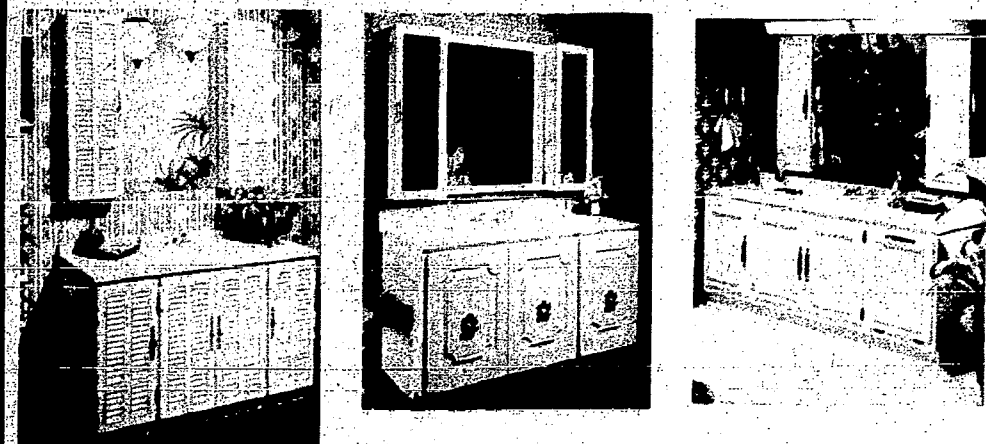
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Hunting And Fishing Report

(By Skip Madson)

November 1st starts trapping season in Zone 2 with prospects good for muskrat and raccoon. Muskrat prices seem to be quite stable but mink is down some from last year.

Bird hunting is spotty with more birds down towards Mc-Masters Bridge.

Duck hunting is slow. I spent Thursday on the river only seeing three ducks, however, the last two days I was in the U.P. we saw quite a few ducks. We can only hope the best is yet to come.

Rabbits are everywhere with all rabbit hunters happy.

Residents seeing more deer all the time; looks like it should be the biggest deer season in many years. Bow hunters are having excellent success.

Salmon are coming in everywhere. Boardman River in Traverse City is good and close by. Brown trout are being caught off the coal docks.

Steelhead are coming into all the rivers now, makes this a good time to go fishing.

Met a couple of local guys in the Upper last week fishing perch at the mouth of the Tahquamenon River. They had a nice mess of fish. They said the girls caught the big ones and they caught the little ones.



M.S. GREETING CARDS—The National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Michigan Chapter, Inc., is offering beautiful Holiday Greeting Cards again this year. Proceeds from the sale of the cards benefit multiple sclerosis patients throughout the state.

The greeting "May the Precious Things of Life-Health, Happiness and Enduring Friendships-Be yours in Abundance At this Holiday Season and Always," is extended to those receiving the card.

They feature three red embossed candles on antique white stock. Highlighting the candles is an embossed frame and gold embossed holly leaves, berries and snowflakes. They also indicate that all profits from contributions are used to directly help MS patients.

The 5 1/2 x 8 1/4 inch cards are being sold in boxes of 25 cards, 26 envelopes at \$4.50 per box and are available through the local Northern Michigan Multiple Sclerosis Branch Chapter.

For more information contact Mrs. Robert Kelly at 348-9080 or Ms. Pat Wiseman at 348-7572.

"Main Stream Musing"

I Dood It

(By Jaymee Seidel)

Those darling baby books always have a page for When I Learned to Do Things, like take that first step, pedal a trike, or hop on one foot. But after I've carefully filled in each date beside each skill, I have all these achievements left over.

I mean, where do you write down the first time your baby pours a gallon of Mazola oil on the kitchen floor, pulls off his diaper, and slides around in it?

Is "I Learn to Share" the right category for the time your toddler shoves a fistful of drooled-on Cheerios into the mouth of the man across the aisle from you on the train?

There's always a nice spot for "Loses First Tooth." But somehow that doesn't quite cover your angel's putting a navy bean under her pillow every night for a month in hopes of fooling the old tooth fairy.

Where it says, "Shows Artistic Ability" — is that where I'm supposed to put the time when my 4-year-old got hold of a can of blue spray paint and redid our white kitchen?

Oh, and I put the date beside Draws First Picture, but I couldn't help wishing they'd allowed me a few lines to record our conversation about it, on the theme that snowmen usually don't have reproductive organs.

And ah, yes, there's good old Can Use Scissors Well. We discovered that skill the Christmas of '72 when brother played David Sassoon to all of his sister's new dolls on January 1.

There ought to be a category for Shows Inventiveness, like the time our child made a primitive weapon using dried split peas and his father's favorite ball-point pen.

And where do you put the day your little girl first writes her name on the tablecloth with the squeeze-bottle mustard?

And how about a place to record the Longest Sustained Cry? For my son, that was the night he decided to make a magic potion while I was giving his sister her bath. He used a little bit of every item in the refrigerator, then took a large swallow of it. I think it must have been the Tabasco sauce that nearly did him in.

I guess the trouble is that childhood is just far too interesting to ever fit into a fill-in-the-blanks version of This is Your Life.

Frederic Community Library

These are some of the new books that you will find on our shelves for adults and children:

"Carry on, Mr. Bodwitch" by Jean Latham; "Mei Li", by Thomas Handforth; "Rifles for Watie", Kieth; "Cinderella", by Marcia Brown; "May I Bring A Friend?", by Beatrice DeRegniers; "White Snow, Bright Snow", by Alvin Tresselt; "Miracles on Maple Hill", by Virginia Sorensen; "One Fine Day", by Nonny Hogrogian; "Arrow to the Sun", by Gerald McDermott; "Rabbit Hill", by Robert Lawson; "Daniel Boone", by James Daugherty; "Make Way for Ducklings", by Robert McCloskey; "Up a Road Slowly", by Irene Hunt; "Miss Hickory", by Carolyn Sherwin; and "The Snowy Day", by Ezra Keats.

The Library is open Monday, 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and Tuesdays and Thursdays, 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. The Library is located in the Frederic Town Hall.

"Tops"

The meeting was called to order at 7 o'clock. We had two guests, Brenda McKim and Luanah Howden. We would like to invite anyone who would like to visit one of our meetings. They are held in the basement of the County Building at 7:00 p.m. on Thursdays.

Kellie Roskosky
Publicity Chairman

ALMANACK

Richard Milliman

Riegle aims for unanimous voter support

Time this week for another of our infrequent strolls, barefoot through the potpourri...

U.S. Rep. Don Riegle of Flint is off and running for the United States Senate, and by golly, I'm afraid most voters are going to have to support him.

After all, he's for all the things we're for. Just look at what he said in his formal announcement the other day:

"...As to specific end goals, I am dedicated to equal justice and opportunity, to more and better jobs, a safe and clear environment, a decent standard of living for every citizen, good medical care people can afford, high quality education for our children, and economic security in old age..."

See what I mean? How can you possibly not be in favor of the things that Don Riegle said he's in favor of? He's sort of pre-empted the whole field, it seems.

If Don Riegle gets the votes of all Michigan folks who agree with the above-quoted announcement statement, he may well wind up with the only unanimous vote for U.S. Senate in history.

The young California Governor, Edmund G. Brown, Jr., is known as Jerry where his father, who also served as California governor, was known as Pat.

Young Gov. Brown is also an interesting person. For example, just listen to this recent quote from young Gov. Brown, a California Democrat:

"The great problem in government is it never goes bankrupt. Once you start a program, it never ends, and that is very dangerous. It becomes like a cancer. It just grows and grows."

Gov. Jerry Brown fancies himself as liberal. If a liberal California Democrat talks like that, he could be a man to watch in years to come.

Some public officials might disagree with Gov. Brown about government never going bankrupt. For example, New York Mayor Abraham Beame, and Detroit Mayor Coleman Young, and a few others, fear municipal bankruptcy.

Cider Time At Feldhausers

Sunday, October 19th, the Feldhauser families and friends, some 100 people, gathered at the farm home of Bess and Dora Feldhauser in Maple Forest, for the annual Cider Making party.

The cider press used, was purchased in 1897, by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Feldhauser, at the original Feldhauser 240 acre homestead, 9 1/2 miles east of Grayling, on the North Down River Rd. Henry was a gardener in the old country, Oberlauringen, Germany, and because he knew just how to plant, prune and care for his apple trees, he started his orchard within a few years after settling here in 1880. His first years crop was so small however, he had to cut the apples in half in order to go around his family of eight sons.

Henry played an important part in the development of agriculture in Crawford County, was known as a progressive farmer, and had one of the best farms in the county.

By 1897 he decided to purchase a cider press, which he ordered from Sears Roebuck and Co., for twelve dollars. It operated manually both in shredding the apples, and the press. With 9 sons at that time, there was no shortage of manpower, and everyone enjoyed the cider. Today 78 years later the cider press is still giving pleasure to his descendants. Today however, the apples are still fed by hand into the shredder, but the shredding is done by an electric motor. The press is still operated by hand. The cider is strained through a cloth, and then funneled into gallon jugs. There is a job for everyone, from picking the apples, hauling them to the barn, to operating the press, and straining and bottling the cider. Because of the abundance of apples this year, approx. 100 gallons of cider were made.

The large crowd met at the town hall for a potluck dinner. The three remaining children of Henry and Caroline Feldhauser, Rudolph, 91 yrs., Archie, 87 yrs., and Emma Knibbs 79, attended, and joined the fun.

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Cities aren't alone in these days of fiscal crisis, however.

New York Gov. Hugh L. Carey has told a congressional committee that if New York City goes into default, then New York State will be close behind; the state's budget is smaller than the city's.

In Illinois — State Comptroller George W. Lindberg recently said that Illinois was so short of cash it could not pay its bills. Said Lindberg: "We have bottomed out of our cash reserves, they are gone. Last night the state could not pay its bills. It's just that simple."

Political critics suggest Lindberg "has been maximizing the problem to create scare headlines," in fact, a couple of days later, Lindberg announced his candidacy for the Illinois Supreme Court.

But regardless of the specific accuracy of Lindberg's claims, if Illinois is close enough to payless paydays to permit such a charge, it's in real trouble, too.

Who's next?

Apparently a new campaign technique to which the public will be subjected before the 1976 voting will be for candidates to work at several jobs to get the feel of what it's like.

In recent elections, walking across a state or district, to meet and talk with just-plain folks, was exploited as a campaign gimmick. Govs. Rueben Askew of Florida and Daniel Walker of Illinois are a couple who worked this scheme successfully.

Lately politicians have been working at several jobs. U. S. Rep. Ken Hechler of West Virginia spent a congressional recess earlier this year on jobs as a dishwasher, reporter, garbage man, and in similar roles. He got closer to the people and reaped a whirlwind of publicity, too.

What's more logical than to apply the Hechler technique to campaigning? Back in Illinois, gubernatorial hopeful Richard Cooper has just such a plan. But he had to drop mining coal from the list of jobs he's sampling as part of his plan to work his way across the state. After reporting to a mine ready to work, Cooper was told no one without 90 days' experience could touch the equipment.

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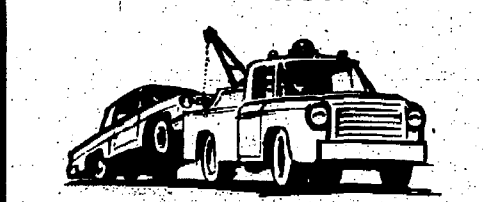
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Jim Fitzgerald

The meek shall wait in line

It was in Las Vegas that something in my mind snapped. In a few hot-tempered minutes I blew 49 years' worth of meek points banked against the day when I would inherit the earth.

All my life I never told the waiter the soup was cold. I never complained when my windshield was wiped with a greasy rag. I never snipped back at a snippy clerk. I never even counted my change. I didn't want to cause any trouble.

It hasn't been easy. The world is full of pushy people and every one of them has pushed into line ahead of me. In every restaurant kitchen there is a huge sign reminding the help that under no conditions is that jerk Fitzgerald to be served his milk when he wants it. And in every garage there is a special mechanic assigned to make certain my car is never fixed right.

Many times the urge to explode has been almost overpowering. But always I kept my mouth shut. Until Las Vegas.

We had reservations to see the midnight show at the Riviera Hotel. John Davidson and the 5th Dimension were performing. The man on the phone said to be there at 10 p.m. It seemed silly to get there 2 hours before showtime but I certainly wasn't going to argue with him. Peace. Besides, I wouldn't mind sitting and sipping while waiting for the entertainment to come on stage. We had to buy 4 drinks each to see the show anyway, so we might as well get at it.

But the 10 o'clock arrivals were not seated. They were herded into a passive line which snaked endlessly throughout the casino. Several armed guards kept the head of the line from getting within sight of the showroom entrance. Everyone in the line had reservations.

By 11:45 the line had hardly moved, only grown. I went to the showroom entrance to see what the matter could be. I encountered a stuffed shirt surrounded by armed guards. They were allowing an endless stream of

people to enter, but none of those people were coming from the long line which still stretched as far as you could see.

I watched how it worked. A big shot would give his name to a guard who would turn to Stuffed Shirt and ask if Mr Big Shot was on the "guest list." At the same time, Big Shot would reach around the guard and hand a \$10 or \$20 bill to Stuffed Shirt. And Stuffed Shirt would wave the Big Shot party through.

Suddenly it was midnight. I looked inside and the place was jammed. John Davidson was starting to sing. And the dumb sheep were still standing outside, saying "Baa, baa, we have reservations."

I asked Stuffed Shirt what about the people who had been lined up for 2 hours, thinking they had seats waiting, while he filled his pockets with cash.

"We're doing the best we can," he said. But he conceded, after a little pressuring, that no way were the sheep going to get inside. They had waited for nothing, reservations and all.

It was then that something snapped and I blew my right to inherit even New Jersey. 49 years of frustration were suddenly released and Stuffed Shirt caught full force. I told him that was a lousy way to treat people. I told him he should be shot for taking bribes and not honoring reservations. I admit I called him every bleeping, bleep-bleep I could think of.

My mighty wrath scored. Stuffed Shirt suddenly found 4 seats down front for our party. I'm proud I didn't slip him a lousy cent. But I'm ashamed I took the seats. I couldn't enjoy the show because I kept thinking of the sheep waiting hopelessly outside, where I'd been all my life. Poor slob.

The bill was \$34 and I left a 25-cent tip. No more Mr Nice Guy. The meek can have the earth.

They'll let the rest of us in anyway, without reservations, just to avoid trouble.



RECEIVES EASTER SEAL AWARDS—Edward J. Drake, President of the National Easter Seal Society, a Dallas, Texas attorney, and Lora Gould, president of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Crawford County, resident of Grayling. At the recent Michigan Easter Seal Convention in Lansing (October 9-10), Drake presented Lora Gould with two awards to the Easter Seal Society of Crawford County—one for the best per capita financial support developed by Easter Seal volunteers and the second, for overall excellence among all 84 counties of Michigan in which the Easter Seal Society is represented.

GHS Grad Seeks Olivet Council Seat



Kevin J. Mahaney, an Olivet College junior, has announced his candidacy for a seat on the Olivet City Council. Mahaney is a political science major and former Campus Activities Committee member, with experience as treasurer of the Kappa Sigma Alpha fraternity. His political interests have led him to active involvement in the Political Science Roundtable and Students. Interested in Politics Groups as well as staff writing for the school paper. He is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mahaney and has 4 younger brothers and 3 sisters.

Kevin has recently been tapped into two national Honorary Societies, Omicron Delta Kappa and Phi Alpha Theta. In Omicron Delta Kappa (O.D.K.) Mahaney was recognized for his leadership and scholastic abilities in campus committees.

Phi Alpha Theta is a National Historical Society and Mahaney was tapped for his scholastic achievements in history. He is a 1973 graduate of Grayling High School where he was President of the Student Council in his senior year.

JV's Lose Final Game, 6-2

The JV Football Squad finished out their 1975 campaign with three wins and six losses after being narrowly defeated at Cheboygan in a defensive struggle, 6-2, on October 30.

The game was played to a stalemate in the first quarter, but the Chiefs got on the scoreboard early in the second quarter with a touchdown and carried a 6-0 lead into halftime. Cheboygan didn't have to move the ball far for the touchdown, as they blocked a Viking punt after Grayling's offense had failed to move the ball.

In the second half, the Vikings came out in an option series offense, with freshman quarterback Scott Johnston running the quarterback option for good gains. With this offensive set, Grayling drove the length of the field down to Cheboygan's three yard line. From there, the Vikings met a fourth down and goal situation. Still behind 6-0, Grayling called a pass over the middle into the end zone, only to have it fall incomplete.

The Chiefs took the ball over at the three, but they were stopped cold by the Vikings defensive unit. Instead of risking a possible blocked punt on fourth down, along with a Viking touchdown, Cheboygan decided to give Grayling a two point safety when the quarterback let Steve Harland tackle him in the end zone. Grayling's defense held the Chiefs to only 100 yards in the game, and was led by Brian Ruddy, John Herrick, Bill Hartig, Bill O'Mara, Harland and Johnston with hard hits. Safety Jamie Cox intercepted his sixth pass of the season in the contest.

With the score 6-2 and two minutes left in the game, the Vikings had to stage a last ditch effort following Cheboygan's free kick from the 20. Grayling moved deep in the Chiefs' Territory, but ran out of downs and time.

You Can Make Money And Have More Deer Too

By Willard Bosserman, County Extension Director.

Land owners will learn how to make money and improve the feed supply for deer at a meeting to be held Monday, November 17th in the basement of the Crawford County Building in Grayling. The meeting will start at 7:30 p.m.

Dr. Glenn Dudderar, Wildlife Management Specialist from Michigan State University's Cooperative Extension Service will be present to talk from the wildlife standpoint. Dave Olson, County Extension Director from Oscoda County will discuss harvesting from a foresters viewpoint.

Together they will explain how you can turn some of the wood that is growing on your acreage into dollars. As a result of the harvest new growth will supply food for deer.

Proper management of your forest land can enhance other types of wildlife also. You can encourage game by providing year-round supplies of good game foods, establish well distributed nesting, escape and winter cover. You can encourage ducks as well as other game by providing marshy areas.

Game species will respond to improvements in different ways. Cottontail rabbits readily take advantage of trees in your woodlot.

Plant trees and shrubs on eroded hillsides and in gullies. This will cut down soil losses and provide food and shelter for wildlife.

Learn other ways you can make your holdings more profitable and enjoyable.

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Grayling Township Notice

DUE TO OBSERVANCE OF VETERAN'S DAY ON NOVEMBER 11, 1975 THE REGULAR GRAYLING TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1975 AT 7:30 P.M. ROOM 31, CITY BUILDING.

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Bits O' Talk

by Fay Bovee

David L. Schwalm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Asa J. Stewart of Grayling, has secured a position with Michigan Technological University at Houghton as Administrator and Physician Assistant for the University's Health Center. He graduated August 21st from the University Assistant Program of the Bowman Gray School of Medicine, North Carolina Baptist Hospital.

Myron Burrows was in California for three weeks, not just one as was stated in last week's paper.

Clarence, Russell, Perry and Eugene Papendick and Bob and Artie Annis returned home last Friday from a three week hunting trip to Colorado. The party bagged one mule deer and two elk.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bovee spent the weekend in Ann Arbor with their daughter, Dena.

Dean Darling left last Friday and picked up Donna St. Germain at C.M.U. Both traveled down to Ann Arbor where they visited Wendy Gee and Dick Joseph at the U. of M. They attended the Wolverines victorious homecoming game and toured the cottage campus. Needless to say, they all had a most enjoyable time.

Hot Lunch Menu

November 10th through 14th

Monday: Chili, Crackers, Bread and Peanut Butter, Fruit.

Tuesday: Lasagna, Vegetable, Applesauce, Bread and Butter.

Wednesday: Chicken Noodle Soup, Crackers, Bread and Peanut Butter, Sliced Cheese, Cake.

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A.B.W.A. News

The October meeting of the Grayling Chapter of the American Business Women's Association was held on Tuesday, October 21st at the Chief Shoppemog Hotel. This was the first meeting presided over by our new President Jini Hindmarsh. The invocation was given by Sally Wert, who was also our birthday girl for October.

Our speaker for the evening was Lora Gould. Lora spoke about her recent trip to the Scandinavian countries with the Senior Citizens. She described the beautiful cities and scenery, told us about the elegant (and expensive) dining, traditions and customs. Lora passed around some post cards of the various countries and places the group visited. She also invited any and all of us to go along on the Hawaii trip planned for March.

The vocational speaker for the evening was Karen Casler. Karen is Dr. Wayne Casler's right hand gal in the book-keeping department of the Grayling Hospital for Animals.

Reports were given from all Standing Committees. Most time was taken by the Fashion Show Committee. Co-chairman Kathy Parkinson and Betty Bennett gave a comprehensive report on ticket sales, participating merchants, models, refreshments and member participation.

Tickets for the show and for the beautiful squash blossom necklace are going well. Members have been wearing the necklace to various events in Grayling and the tickets almost sell themselves when people see what a very special piece of heirloom jewelry they can win. At this time it appears that the Fashion Show should be a big success and we should be close to our goal of enough money for the two local scholarships sponsored by the Grayling ABWA.

Jackie Ruddy and Elaine Harland gave a brief report on the National Convention. Due to the late hour they deferred their full report to our November meeting.

Tanya Palto reported on Ways and Means. She will report on new projects for the year at a later date.

The Benediction was given by Marty Reichelderfer and the meeting adjourned at 9:30 p.m. Betty Bennett, Publicity

CARD OF THANKS

The recent bereavement which has visited our home has brought to us a greater appreciation of our friends. Such kindnesses and the neighborly thoughtfulness can never be forgotten.

We would like to thank Dr. Henig, Dr. Blaha, Dr. Rosi and all the nurses, friends, neighbors and relatives. Special thanks to Aunt Ann Lozon, Art and Ellie Lozon, Sister Chris, Sister Frances and Father Toolis.

The family of Anita Lozon

City Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the City Council held Monday, October 27, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor McEvers at 7:30 p.m. Members present: Hanson, Golinick, Thompson, McEvers, Palmer. Members absent: None. Also in attendance: Jerry W. Morford, City Manager; Allen V. Schreiner, City Treasurer; Nelson A. Miles, City Attorney; Ed Lowrie, Crawford County Board of Commissioners; William Schroderus, Hill, Woodcock and Distel, CPA Firm and Richard Kiel.

Motion by McEvers, supported by Palmer that the minutes of the meeting of October 13, 1975 be approved as presented. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, motion carried.

Communications were received from Consumers Power Company re: Notice of public hearing.

No citizens appeared who wished to speak.
NEW BUSINESS:
Mr. William Schroderus of Hill, Woodcock & Distel, CPA Firm, appeared to discuss with Council the 1974-75 audit report. Several questions were asked by Council.

The final invoice for the new well #2 has been received from Layne-Northern in amount of \$12,100.00. Mr. Morford recommended payment with retention of \$2,493.28 until final inspection. Motion by Hanson, supported by Thompson that the final invoice from Layne-Northern be paid in the amount of \$12,100.00 and retain \$2,493.28 until all remaining problems are solved. Ayes: 4, Nays: 1 (McEvers), motion carried.

The final invoice for the pump house has been received for \$900.00 from Jack Millikin, Inc. Motion by McEvers, supported by Thompson that the invoice for \$900.00 from Jack Millikin, Inc. be paid. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, motion carried.

Discussion was held on the airport problem. Mr. Morford reported on the latest Airport Committee meeting held on October 6, 1975. He read two letters which have been received by the Airport Committee. A lengthy discussion followed. Motion by Hanson, supported by McEvers that the City Attorney be directed to write a letter on behalf of the City in support of Crawford County's efforts to have Mr. J.P. McCarthy removed as airport manager. Further, that City Attorney and City Manager be directed to pursue the matter of airport safety and efficiency in cooperation with Crawford County and Grayling Township.

Discussion was held on the cemetery operation.

Water billing procedures were discussed.

Parcel 'A' was discussed. Mr. Morford read a proposed letter from Mr. McEvers to the DNR.

Mr. Morford reported on a meeting with various persons re: "old DNR Fire Station". The DNR would only lease the building and a portion of the land along Old U.S. 27. The balance could be obtained on a public use deed split between City of Grayling, Grayling Township and Crawford County.

The meeting was recessed for twenty-five minutes.

Discussion was held on the City Election scheduled for Tuesday, November 4, 1975.

NEW BUSINESS:
Motion by Golinick, supported by Hanson that \$46.00 be paid for one fourth (1/4) of the sidewalk renewal at Harry McEvers home. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, motion carried.

No reports of Councilmen.

Mr. Morford reported on the following:

City share of infiltration analysis of sewer system.

Repair bill for police car from Ormsbee Motors.

Final settlement with Grayling Township for 1974-75 fiscal year fire department operation and annual funding of depreciation.

MSHD Old 27 construction contract.

Request for City to submit application for permit to discharge waste water into ground water.

ADJOURNMENT:
Motion by Golinick, supported by Hanson that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 10:23 p.m.

/s/ Jerry W. Morford, City Manager & City Clerk

Editor's Mailbox

Oct. 30, 1975

Open Letter To:
Jim Hall
East Mich. Tourist Assn.
1 Wenonah Park
Bay City, Mi. 48706

Dear Jim,

Logic fails to explain the action of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners in dropping their support of the EMTA, the Grayling Chamber of Commerce and the Frederic Business Men's Association.

One must assume that these men on the Board of Commissioners act in good faith to represent the people who elected them. However, a 100% cut of appropriations for tourism, in a county whose big business is tourism, somehow leaves doubt in my mind. I, for one, can only look at the actions of this board as totally short-sighted.

Evidently there is no realization of the impact that tourism has on our community, or perhaps this board doesn't realize what has happened in the last few years, to warrant many new tourist businesses to build and upgrade. Also, the local businesses that have grown and expanded.

Who is really paying the property taxes on the Holiday Inn, the Rousi, the Red Barn and the Big Boy, to mention only a few of the new businesses? The Tourists are paying, just as they will be on the other new businesses which will be moving into Crawford County. These businesses spend their money supporting local business and all around creating more jobs and more Tax Base. Does this board really think the residents use enough gas to support over 20 gas stations around the County? Well evidently they do.

Tourism has been, and is, very important to Crawford County. I certainly think it's time these public officials recognize this fact and change their attitudes. Tourism has grown, here and throughout the State, at the same time that industry has been moving out of Michigan. TOURISM IS VITAL, and it is not Magic that keeps it going. It's hard work on the part of EMTA, Chamber of Commerce, Frederic Business Men's Association, etc., and active support of these organizations that keeps the taxes paid.

In that light, it is hard for me to believe that last year the Board had \$5,000.00 to invest in tourism, and in this year "ZERO." I fully realize that the budget had to be trimmed but I cannot believe that in a budget of \$960,535.00 that \$2,000.00 or \$3,000.00 could not have been allocated for tourism.

The attitude! Let's shoot the goose that lays the golden egg rather than buy the chicken feed.

I feel I speak for many of the people in Crawford County when I say that tourism is important to our community; And I commend East Michigan Tourist Association, Grayling Chamber of Commerce and

Frederic Business Men's Association for their efforts (and results) in promoting the area. I have made my feelings public record, and I hope the Commission will do the same by publishing the names of Commissioners and how they voted on these appropriations.

Yours truly,
Steve Sauter
Marshall Motel
Grayling, Mich.

CC: EMTA-Jim Hall
Bay City, Mi.
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Crawford County Avalanche
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VanNuck In State Meet

Participating for Grayling in the 1975 State Final Cross-Country Run was Pete VanNuck. He is the first runner from Grayling to ever earn such a distinction, according to Coach Robert Woodland.

The 'state meet' was held on November 1st at Charlotte. VanNuck placed 63rd in the meet. This was his final meet in cross country as he is presently a senior. It was also the final time this year that GHS would be represented in a meet, as practice ended October 27th for the rest of the team.

VanNuck qualified to run at the state by placing in the top 20 runners in the Regional Cross-Country Meet held on October 25th at Elk Rapids.

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Public Hearing Notice

A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE CONDUCTED BY THE GRAYLING TOWNSHIP BOARD ON NOVEMBER 10, 1975 AT 7:30 P.M. IN THE TOWNSHIP OFFICE, CITY BUILDING, 103 JAMES STREET, GRAYLING, MICHIGAN. THE HEARING IS FOR THE PURPOSE OF ESTABLISHING A SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT FOR A STREET LIGHT AT THE INTERSECTION OF OLD LAKE ROAD AND WOODLEAF DRIVE.

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Editor's Mailbox

Dear Concerned Parent:

I was pleased to see another parent speak out concerning the placing of band instruments. I feel Grayling has a fine band but at concerts, parades, football games, etc. I think of those who were left behind.

We had a similar experience only it was over a more expensive instrument - our daughter was told she could try band only if her parents purchased an approximate \$400.00 French Horn. No renting period provided, no lessons to see if she could manage the horn and last, no chance to try a less expensive instrument first.

Not caring to gamble on a sum of that figure the whole idea was dropped. Leaving, in its path, a heart broken and disillusioned child who loves music. Also it left very frustrated parents at not having been able to give their child this exceptional opportunity.

Another Concerned Parent

Lovells News

by Ruth Caldwell

Our community was saddened by the death of Mrs. Connie Kaiser. Mr. and Mrs. Kaiser have been part of our community for several years and have been very active in community affairs. Their many friends extend their sympathy to the family.

The Sunday School wishes to thank all who gave to UNICEF.

Mrs. Cindy Paquette of Mt. Clemens spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Harwood.

You are invited to attend open house at the Town Hall and Library on Monday evening, November 10, from 6:30 to 8:00. Everyone welcome.

Mrs. Lola Penny has sold her home on Big Creek and will be moving to Alpena.

Serving as pallbearers for Mrs. Connie Kaiser were Milt Strick, Wally Butters, Dale Gauthier, Ray Duby, Fred Schably and Dewain Hall.

Main Street Players Reverse Roles for "Six Rms Riv Vu"

There has indeed been some role-switching this fall, as the Main Street Players prepare for their fall production "Six Rooms Riv Vu," a comedy by Bob Randall. Mary Liz McNamara, who is directing the production, has previously been involved in the theatre only in an acting capacity. Her expertise on the stage, in fact, is well-known to most Graylingites. Mary Liz starred in "Hello Dolly" as a junior at Grayling High School, besides playing feature roles in other musicals. In her first year at Kalamazoo College, Mary Liz played the only female role in John Steinbeck's "Of Mice and Men," and was subsequently chosen "Best Supporting Actress of the Year" by the college. Commenting on the switch to directing, Mary Liz said, "I've always had a lot of ideas about directing a play, but I never knew if they would work. Now I have a chance to put those ideas in practice. Directing a play, as opposed to

acting in one, is certainly different."

Two female members of the "Six Rms Riv Vu" cast, June Karjalainen and Maggie DeSantis, are coming from behind the scenes to the stage for the first time. June, from Roscommon, has enjoyed innumerable backstage theatre experiences. She was pianist for "The Fantastics" and "Mañ of LaMancha" at Kirtland, and pianist for the MSP's "Free To Be...You and Me." She has directed two MSP productions, and headed technical production for two others. And besides the small role she has in "Six Rms Riv Vu," she is assisting Ms. McNamara in directing this play, by providing technical leadership.

Margaret, who plays Ann Miller in the play opposite Roscommon's John Boserman has directed four MSP productions and produced one. The only other acting she has done was this past summer when she played Gretel in the MSP's Kids' Show, "Hansel and Gretel." Said Margaret, "I'm beginning to empathize with all the people who had to put up with me as a director - being on the other side of the fence, and especially working with Mary Liz, who's been involved with theatre for so long, is a great learning experience."

"Six Rms Riv Vu" will be performed on Saturday and Sunday, November 22 - 23, at Kirtland College Auditorium. Tickets will sell for \$1.50 advance and \$2.00 at the door. Call Maggie DeSantis at 348-2271 for information.

Moose Notice

New enrollees please be at Moose for Enrollment on November 8th at 7:30 sharp. Dinner will be served starting at 5:00 till 7:30, Moose members and guests.

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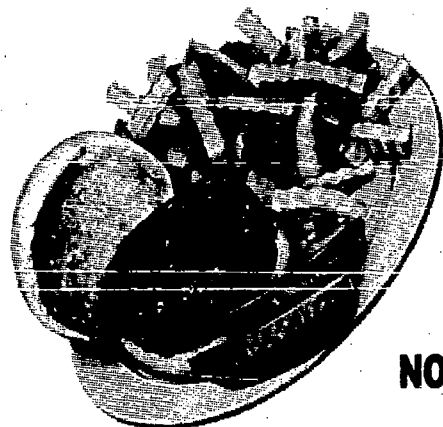
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Mercy Hospital News

The following are among the patients at Mercy Hospital this week: Jennifer Broome, Glen Cavanaugh, Janet Gilman, Mary Kay Hinkle and Agnes Nelson, all of Grayling; Darlene Eldridge and Margaret Partello of Frederic.

A daughter, Heather Lynn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shannon of Grayling on October 28, weighing 7 lbs. 1 oz.

On October 30, a daughter, Nancy Jean, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swan of Roscommon, weighing 6 lbs. 13 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Gilman of Grayling are the proud parents of a daughter, Leona Kay, born October 30, weighing 5 lbs. 9 ozs.

A son, Loren Guy, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Luguel of Grayling on October 31, weighing 7 lbs. 11 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hinkle of Grayling are happy over the arrival of a daughter, Melissa Kay, on November 1, weighing 5 lbs. 5 ozs.

LOVELLS HOME EXTENSION

The Lovells Home Extension Group met at the home of Leona Nichols on Wednesday, October 8, with 19 present. A lovely lunch was served by the hostess and co-hostesses, Margie Harwood and Helen Spencer.

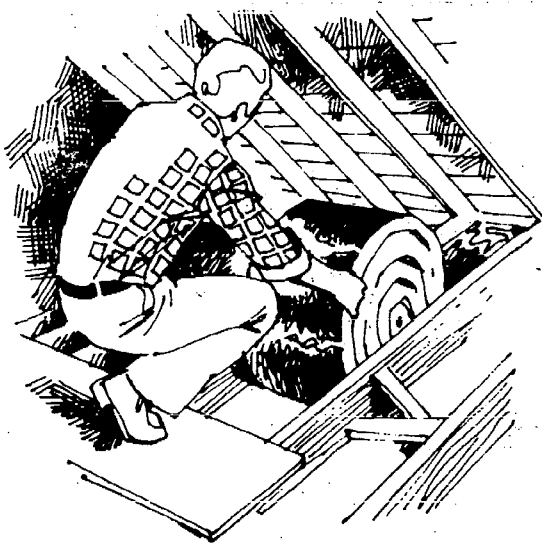
Following the lunch, three representatives from the Frederic School showed slides and explained a bond issue relative to a new school in Frederic.

The meeting was opened with roll call. Chairman Margaret Cavanaugh presided over the business meeting. She also gave a report on a subject from College Week entitled "Understanding Yourself and Others." The mystery package was won by Leona Nichols.

The next meeting will be at the Women's Clubhouse on Wednesday, November 12, with Marie Duby as hostess. Members are to bring gifts for the Traverse City State Hospital.

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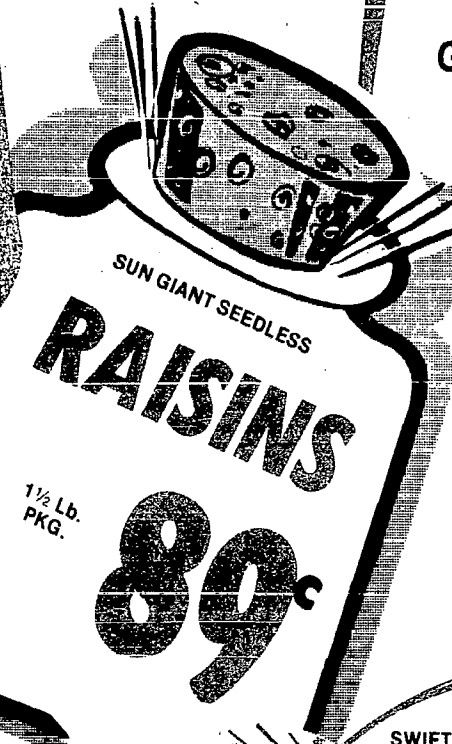
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Vision Workshops Are Planned

Kenneth Hinga, First Vice President Michigan Association of the Blind; Fred Richmond, Rehabilitation Counselor, Michigan Division of Blind Services and David Search, Rehabilitation Teacher from the same agency discussed poor and failing vision and the services available to blind and partially blind persons. The Crawford County Commission on Aging sponsored the meeting held at the Senior Citizens Center Wednesday, October 23. Mr. Hinga gave goals and purposes of the Michigan Association of the Blind organization and discussed memberships and eligibility. Information about membership is available at the Senior Center. Much legislation dealing with blind and handicapped persons has been introduced by this organization. Workshops for persons with poor vision were one of the subjects discussed by Richmond and Search. A wood shop workshop to aid partially blind persons in handling tools and power equipment is being planned. Other workshops will be for everyone interested in knowing some of the things that will help us compensate for failing eyes. A third workshop will deal with crafts and recreation for the blind or partially blind or handicapped persons. All will be sponsored locally by RSVP and Crawford County Council on Aging. Workshop dates will be announced later.

Editor's Mailbox

To Whom It May Concern:
Where has plain old-fashioned decency gone, — moral conduct and respect for other people, and for others property? Under the guise of Halloween pranks, our churches have been the targets of Rowdies who find pleasure in breaking Stained Glass Windows, which, as most everyone knows, are very expensive to replace, and sometimes almost impossible to get in the necessary colors. Several homes have also received broken windows during these days. Now, what pleasure or satisfaction can anyone find in such malicious damage?
This is not only juvenile delinquency, it is just plain "Rowdism," and was done by kids old enough to know better. Our City Police, I am certain, are doing their level best to curtail such activities, but they cannot be all over, and they are out-numbered by these rowdies by quite a margin.
Our town not only has juvenile delinquents, it also has its share of delinquent parents — parents who could care less where their children are or what they are doing — parents who cannot even control their own offspring at home, but expect our schools to teach their kids right from wrong. This is not what our teachers are hired to do. Later many of these children end up in the hands of the law, but in some cases where this has happened, the delinquents have just been given a good scolding and released to continue their devilry. This is a serious situation.
If, when these so-called delinquents are caught by police or others doing malicious damage, their names should appear in the paper, together with the names of their parents. Maybe in that way the parents could be shamed, at least to some degree — but NO, the little darlings must be protected, and the parents too. The kids are smart enough to know they are being protected in this way, and perhaps this also adds to the unconscious shown by their parents.
A Citizen & a Taxpayer
Frederic Hobby Club
The Frederic Hobby Club held their annual Halloween Party October 27th at the Sportsman's Club for members and their families and guests. There were about 75 present.
Prizes for the best costumes were won by John Martindale, first prize; Gregg Graham, second prize; and Lisa Dunkley, third prize.
The door prize was won by Chris Dockstader.

Bowling Leagues

American League, 1st Division

1. Bear Archery 19
 2. Sawyer's Tree Service 15
 3. Rochette's 14
 4. Uncle Al's 12
 5. Legion Lanes 11
 6. Seyfert's Chips 10
 7. Clair's Standard 8
 8. Millikin Const. 7
- High Series: C. Meagel, 590; H. King, 580; D. Canfield, 579.
High Game: D. Smock, 238; C. Wiess, 225; A. Weideman, 220.

National League, 1st Division

1. Holiday Inn 16
 2. Carlisle 14
 3. Tarpon 13
 4. Larry & Joan's 13
 5. Red Barn 12
 6. Gambles 10½
 7. Auto Clinic 9½
 8. Hotel 8
- High Series: B. Reichelderfer, 577; J. Budd, 572; D. Canfield, 564.
High Game: B. Reichelderfer, 225; J. Budd, 222; B. Reichelderfer, 213.

National League, 2nd Division

1. Grayling V.W. 18
 2. Union 76 18
 3. Cal'd's Grocery 17
 4. Legion Lanes 16
 5. R & H Sports 13
 6. G.T.E. 12
 7. Cornell's 9
 8. Wuerfel's Standard 9
- High Series: A. Taylor, 575; L. Sponsler, 539; F. Schaibly, 530.
High Game: A. Taylor, 209; D. Griffiths, 205; T. Tosto, 200.

Recreation League

1. R & H Sports Center 25
 2. Kozy Korner's 24
 3. Pine Aire Motel 23
 4. Coe's Market 22
 5. Lovell's Bar 21
 6. Arrowhead Inn 20
 7. Bay City Times 18½
 8. Mill Town Realty 18
 9. Olson's 18
 10. Colonial Motel 18
 11. Lone Pine Inn 17
 12. Legion Lanes 15
 13. Grayling Bank 14
 14. Union 76 13
 15. Bill's Laundry 13
 16. Glen's Market 8½
- High Series: N. Gingerick, 523; M. Reed, 484; J. Hoffman, 478.
High Game: N. Gingerick, 190; J. Yoder, 179; G. Nielson & H. Nielson, 176.

Pioneer League

1. Dawson's 24
 2. Cornell Agency 22
 3. Al's Gals 19
 4. Vaughn's Sunoco 17
 5. Avalanche 17
 6. Millikin Const. 16
 7. McLean's Pro Mart 16
 8. Sorenson Agency 13
- High Series: L. Tobin, 533; B. Worden, 526; D. Anthony, 522.
High Game: D. Anthony, 204; M. LaMotte, 199; B. Worden, 193.

Northwood League

1. Jake's Refuse Service 20
 2. Cover Up Shop 20
 3. Bear Archery 19
 4. Jack Pine Plumbing 18
 5. AuSable Motel 16½
 6. Laurine's 13
 7. Russ' Dry Wall 11
 8. Holiday Inn 10½
- High Game: J. Campbell, 202; C. Faustman, 187; E. Helsel, 176.
High Series: J. Campbell, 513; F. Shires, 485; C. Faustman, 456.

Senior Citizens Bowling League

1. First Savings 24
 2. Mac's Drugs 19
 3. Larry & Joan's Place 19
 4. R & H Sports 15
 5. Spike's 11
 6. Glen's Market 8
- High Series, Men: T. Tosto, 519; E. Schramm, 517; B. Bonkowski, 480.
High Game, Men: T. Tosto, 190; B. Campbell, 181; E. Schramm, 177.
High Series, Women: B. Sponsler, 403; M. Frankenfield, 393; I. Williams, 392.
High Game, Women: B. Sponsler, 166; L. Lee, 146; I. Williams, 144.

Sunday Nite Mixed Doubles

1. Jake's Refuse 29
 2. Legion Lanes 21½
 3. Seyfert's Chips 19½
 4. Post Oil 19
 5. R & H Sports 18
 6. Beaver Bend 14
 7. Bill's Standard 12
 8. Grayling Auto Clinic 11
- High Series, Women: L. Tobin, 426; S. Cox, 465; E. Helsel, 426.
High Game, Women: L. Tobin, 180; E. Helsel, 177; S. Cox, 162.
High Series, Men: C. Marshall, 536; K. Moore, 526; B. Tobin, 495.
High Game, Men: K. Moore, 211; J. Helsel, 202; C. Marshall, 199.

Calendar Of Events

Nov. 7: Mt. Hope Lutheran Church rummage sale at Parish Hall. Friday only, 9 to 5.
Nov. 9: Chicken Dinner by Foreign Study League at American Legion Hall, 2:00-5:00. Adults \$2.50, Students K-8, \$1.75.
Nov. 10: Welcome Wagon meeting, 7:30 p.m. at Michigan Consolidated Gas Co.
Nov. 15-16: Frederic Buck Contest. Headquarters, Newberry's General Store, North U.S. 27. Frederic Contest closes 7:00 p.m. Nov. 16th.
Nov. 18: Cub Pack 983 Father-Son Cake Bake, 7:30 p.m. at Grayling Elementary School.
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Kirtland Vets Club Elects New Officers For 1975-76

The Kirtland Vets Club held an organizational meeting on Tuesday, October 7 at 7:00 p.m. in the Birdfeeder, the campus cafeteria. Approximately twenty five veterans were present at the meeting and expressed interest in re-organizing the club which was reactivated last year. New officers were elected. President is Dave Browning, Higgins Lake; Vice President, Mike Hess, Houghton Lake; Secretary, Sergy Noreyko, St. Helen; Treasurer, Lou Cote, Roscommon; and Sergeant-at-arms, Roger Stitt, Mio.
An activities planning committee was also formed to explore and coordinate activities that will serve the club, all veterans on campus, and the community. The committee met on Friday, October 10 and proposed a buck pool which features a prize given to the person who brings in the largest deer rack, a discount booklet, if local businessmen show interest, a potluck dinner to be held near Thanksgiving, and a sports event with the faculty.
There are over 250 veterans on campus with 36 at the Cadillac Center, 18 at the Tawas Center and 6 at Camp Hoxey. Counting dependents of veterans who are eligible for V.A. benefits, there are over 300 students drawing a monthly allowance from the V.A.

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Christine Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Warren of 305 Arthur St., Grayling, and Michael Kligman, son of Mrs. George Puwal of Standish, were united in marriage Saturday, October 18, at Mt. Hope Lutheran Church. Pastor Paul Weber officiated at the six o'clock ceremony before some 150 guests.

Church decorations consisted of altar flowers of daisies and mums in fall colors. Carol Schrader presided at the organ.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a floor-length gown of nylon over taffeta with a lace collar and lace trim at the cuffs and yoke. Her bridal bouquet was of tulle roses, daisies and mums, and she carried with it a lace handkerchief that belonged to her great-grandmother.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was her sister, Tina Warren. She wore a flowered gown of cream and tan. Her flowers were daisies and mums in fall colors.

Serving the groom as best man was his brother, George Kligman. Ushers were Chan

Pieknik-Hoffman Vows Exchange



Gail Lenore Pieknik and Allen C. Hoffman were united in marriage Saturday, September 27, at Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church. Rev. Paul Frederick performed the double ring ceremony at four o'clock before about 300 guests.

Gail is the daughter of Mr. Mitchell Pieknik and Mrs. Irene Barker. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hoffman.

Mrs. H. Shively was the organist. Selections presented included "Wedding Song" and "Theme from Romeo and Juliet." Sweetheart roses and mums in fall colors were the church decorations.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of ivory satin with ivory lace trim and a full length train and veil.

Nori Pieknik, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Shannon Latuszek of Grayling and Sandy Herndon of Washington, Mich.

Tony Hoffman, served as his brother's best man. Groomsman

Mitzi Laeder Weds in U. P.



Mitzi Laeder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Laeder of Grand Marais, formerly of Grayling, was married October 4th to Joseph Haffenberger of Grand Marais in the Holy Rosary Church in Grand Marais. Pastor Carlson of the First Lutheran Church of Newberry performed the ceremony.

Donna St. Germain of Grayling was maid of honor and Jack Hubbard of Grand Marais served as best man.

Mitzi wore a full length white gown of jersey knit with a train, made by her grandmother Laeder. Her flowers were white and red roses accented with baby's breath.

The newlyweds are making their home in Grand Marais.

Former Resident's Daughter Weds



Renee Jeanne Perry became the bride of David Conrad Tanner on Saturday, August 23, in a 1 p.m. ceremony conducted by Reverend Thomas H. Beaven at the First United Methodist Church of Birmingham.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jacques E. Perry of Union Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Garland K. Tanner of Bloomfield Hills.

Maid of Honor for the occasion was Carol Ann Williams of Waterford Township, friend of the bride. Serving as bridesmaids were sisters of the bride Ramona Perry of Pontiac, Rebecca Perry, Rosemarie Perry and Rhonda Perry all of Union Lake.

The groom chose his brother, Daniel Brooks Tanner of Bloomfield Hills as the Best Man. Acting as ushers were Douglas Tanner of Charlotte, brother of the groom; Alan Gebauer of Detroit; Hank DeGraw of Bloomfield Hills; and Duane Getzmeier of Drayton Plains, cousin of the bride.

Flower girl was Andrea Bergsrud; the ring bearer was Eric Bergsrud. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bergsrud, Union Lake.

Mrs. Linda Linebaugh of Royal Oak presided at the organ and Miss Elizabeth Smith of Waterford Township was soloist. "O Perfect Love" was presented before the procession and "A Wedding Benediction" was sung immediately following the Lord's Prayer, recited by all in unison.

Following the bridal theme, altar arrangements consisted of lavender, pink and white blooms of gladioli, blue and white daisies and two silver candleabra.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of empire styling in white silk organza and rose pointe Chantilly lace. Seed pearls and lace accented the bodice, bishop sleeves and flounce and the gown was finished with stand-up collar and chapel train. Matching Chantilly lace edged her cathedral veil which was secured to a high headpiece covered with lace and seed pearls. The bride borrowed the veil from her sister-in-law, Diane Van De Walker. She wore a cameo ring which belonged to her maternal grandmother. She carried bridal pink roses, white and lavender carnations as accents and baby's breath, designed in a full cascade with ribbon streamers and variegated ivy.

The Maid of Honor wore a floor-length dress of dusty rose taffeta and chiffon with a scooped neck and short, flared

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County Board of Commissioners Minutes

3 Crawford County Avalanche Thursday, November 6, 1975

Regular meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners held in the Court House in the City of Grayling on October 13, 1975.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Kauffman.

Invocation by Mr. Kauffman.
Roll Call. Kenneth Carlisle, Rolla Failing, Patrick Harwood, Fred Kauffman, Edward Lowrie, Joseph LaGrow, Dean Welch—All Present.

MOTION by Welch, second by LaGrow, that the minutes of the September Session be approved after the following correction is made. Roll Call. All Aye. Carried.

CORRECTION: Carl Lugviel, EllaBelle Goodwin, Harold Hatfield and Ed Lowrie went to Bridgeport—not Grand Blanc—on a tour of the State Lab there.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Failing, to transfer \$4,676.26 from the General Fund for the Register of Deeds line item budget for payment of microfilm equipment. Roll Call. Lowrie, Failing, Carlisle, Harwood, Kauffman, LaGrow—All Aye. Carried. Welch—Temporarily Absent.

CORRESPONDENCE:

1. City Manager, Jerry W. Morford, requested a resolution requesting the State to deed Parcel "A" to the City with no public use restriction, as the State had previously agreed to do. Then portions can be deeded to the County and the Archery.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Carlisle, to request the State of Michigan to remove the public use restriction from the Deed of Parcel "A" to the City of Grayling. Roll Call. Lowrie, Carlisle, Failing, Kauffman, LaGrow, Harwood—All Aye. Welch—No.

2. Letter and questionnaire from Congressman Brock regarding Revenue Sharing was completed and mailed.

3. Diet-A-Ride Program has been completed, pending delivery of equipment.

4. Union Locals #214 and #55 gave notification of meeting dates.

5. Department of Social Services advised that the Social Welfare Act has been revised to relieve County Boards of Commissioners of the responsibility for providing office accommodations to County Departments of Social Services.

6. Order of Dismissal of County Allocation Appeal was received from Michigan Tax Tribunal.

7. Budget requests were read from District Health Department #1, County Community Services, and Crawford-Roscommon Soil Conservation.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Failing, to table these requests for consideration when the budget is prepared later in this session. Roll Call. All Aye. Carried.

8. Notice of special election was read, at which election Sandra Brengle was elected Steward to fill the vacancy left by Carl Miller.

9. Letter from Joan K. Pratt, Friend of the Court, advised that she was forced to spend the majority of her time in the office at Gaylord at present, in order to set up a workable program and a new bookkeeping system. Her proposed schedule is to spread her time evenly between the three counties covered.

Discussion was held at this time regarding a County Coordinator, his salary, and duties he might perform for the County's benefit. Commissioner LaGrow suggested that this be investigated and studied.

MOTION by LaGrow, second by Harwood, that the Board appoint the Personnel Committee to investigate the possibility of a County Coordinator, but to go no farther. Roll Call. LaGrow, Harwood, Carlisle, Failing, Lowrie—All Aye. Kauffman, Welch—No. Motion Carried.

Bruce Reynolds, of the District Health Department, discussed the Minimum Housing Code proposed for the County, and gave his comments and recommendations, as he had been asked to do. He advised that the Health Department does not have the staff to take care of inspections for a new program, but would give advisory help. He was advised to work with Roy Papenfus, Zoning Director, on the Code, and to report back to the Board. He was also advised to confer with the Social Services Department.

J.P. McCarthy, Jerry Morford, and John Huss met with the Board. Mr. McCarthy read an opinion from the Attorney General stating that the Airport Managerial License issued to him is valid, this opinion to supersede all others. Mr. McCarthy assured the Board that he is totally available as Manager of the Airport. The matter was turned over to Robert Hess, Special Assistant Prosecutor.

Letter of resignation from the Crawford County Planning Commission was presented by Jerry W. Morford, City Manager. After discussion with Mr. Morford, the following motion was made.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Welch, to accept Jerry Morford's resignation from the Planning Commission, with regret, and to send a letter of commendation to him for work which he has done for many years. Roll Call. All Aye. Carried.

Adjourned for lunch. Dean Welch absent in the afternoon session.

HEALTH COMMITTEE REPORT by Kauffman. Mr. Kauffman and Mr. Rolla Failing attended the District Health Department meeting on October 6. At this meeting work was done on the budget. He reported that Crawford County is almost cleared on VD cases, but there are epidemics of sleeping sickness and scabies. He also attended a meeting of the Michigan Health Department Board held in Lansing. He discussed Senate Bill 590 by Davis, to raise state aid to each county from \$12,000 to \$25,000.

Jeremy Jones was asked to meet with the Board on Planning Commission business. Commissioner Lowrie reviewed action taken by this Board earlier in the year, which was intended to give planning relief. Letter will be sent to Neil Steinhoff, Graduate Planner for Northeast Regional Commission, to ask him to be present at the Planning Commission meeting on November 13. Mr. Jones stated that he would rather continue the Commission as it is than to split it into Zoning and Planning.

The Chairman appointed Rolla Failing, Alternate Delegate with voting privileges, to attend the RCDA Council Meeting at Alpena on November 3 at 8:00 p.m.

MENTAL HEALTH COMMITTEE REPORT by Lowrie. He presented very interesting facts and figures on federal, state and local programs for mental health and their actual results in number of cases. He also reported that Mental Health and Social Services have reached an agreement. A new office will open Thursday, October 16, in Houghton Lake to provide mental health services to Roscommon County population.

INSURANCE STUDY COMMITTEE REPORT by LaGrow. Several bids were received on the County Insurance Program, and were duly noted by the Board. The Board has decided to continue with its present insurance carrier until May 1976, and a detailed set of specifications should be available in early March, when bids will be accepted again. In the meantime, bids will be solicited for an appraisal of courthouse and contents.

Watershed Council meeting was reported by Carlisle. He discussed a bill by Representative Ostling on the licensing of boat liveries and control of the number of liveries and number of boats for rent. The Council approved the bill, but not in its entirety.

PLANNING COMMISSION REPORT by Lowrie. A new zone is under consideration. Also Beaver Creek Township is considering buying the Big Wheel for a fire hall, with stalls for equipment, and the balance for a town hall.

Howard Taylor, Emergency Preparedness Director, met with the Board briefly, and budget matters were discussed. He told of an exercise which had been done by the Ambulance Corps.

AIRPORT COMMITTEE REPORT by Lowrie. An opinion from the Attorney General had raised a question as to the validity of J.P. McCarthy's appointment as Airport Manager, and a new manager had been selected and presented for approval from the Michigan National Guard—Bernard Fowler.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE REPORT by Failing. There was no report at this time, awaiting Union negotiations.

Commissioner Kauffman reported on the Northern Counties meeting. The Second District of Michigan Association of Counties is dissolving, and the 2nd region of M.A.C. will meet with Northern Counties Association December 11th in Grayling.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS by Failing. He reported that they took in \$900.00 per week in September at 70 cents per yard. There is talk of raising to \$1.00 per yard.

Rod Parker, Executive Director of Northeast Regional Commission, met with the Board and discussed the possibility of Janice Cornell working with Northeast 2 days per week on Grants Administration. Her salary would continue to be paid by Crawford County, and Crawford County would have priority in her services.

Leo E. Lovely, County Clerk, brought several matters to the attention of the Board:

(1) Snowplowing Contract.

(2) The dam at Bradford Lake, and to petition the Circuit Court to set the lake level.

(3) Closing the Courthouse on Election Day.

John Huss, appeared before the Board in regards to a program being worked out by the Judge in regard to Court Appointed Attorney fees for the coming year.

Chairman Kauffman recessed the meeting until 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 14, 1975.

Regular meeting of the Crawford County Board of

Commissioners continued and held in the Court House in the City of Grayling on October 14, 1975.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Kauffman.
Roll Call. Kenneth Carlisle, Rolla Failing, Patrick Harwood, Fred Kauffman, Joseph LaGrow, Edward Lowrie, Dean Welch—All Present.

MOTION by Harwood, second by LaGrow, to allow Janice Cornell to work a maximum of 2 days per week at Northeast Regional Commission's office, with no increase in salary. Northeast Regional Commission will pay mileage only. Roll Call. Harwood, LaGrow, Failing, Lowrie, Welch—All Aye. Carlisle, Kauffman—No. Carried.

MOTION by Failing, second by Carlisle, to transfer \$5,035.00 from the General Fund to the line item budget of the District Court for Attorney Fees for Court Appointed Attorneys. Failing, Carlisle, Harwood, Kauffman, LaGrow—Aye. Lowrie, Welch—No. Carried.

Teamsters Local #214 requested Arbitration, due to an impasse in contract negotiations. Mr. Paul Gully has been selected as Panel Member for the Union. Chairman Kauffman appointed Dean Welch and Edward Lowrie as a two man Panel for the County. Joseph LaGrow was appointed as first alternate. Dean Welch gave a progress report on Union Contracts.

ROADS & BRIDGES COMMITTEE REPORT by Welch. The dam at Bradford Lake and the water level were discussed at this time.

MOTION by Welch, second by Failing, to petition the Circuit Court to establish a water level at Big Bradford Lake located in Maple Forest Township, at no expense to Crawford County, and to request that the Circuit Court expedite these matters and establish a time table as to establishing water level and reconstruction of dam at the South end of Big Bradford Lake. Roll Call. Welch, Failing, Carlisle, Harwood, Kauffman, LaGrow, Lowrie—All Aye. Carried.

MOTION by Welch, second by Lowrie, to notify Otsego County of our action, that the two counties work together, and to request that Otsego County petition the Circuit Court also. Roll Call. All Aye. Carried.

Commissioner Harwood made a suggestion that all bridges in the county be painted. This will be brought to the attention of the Road Commission.

Lloyd Anderson, Chairman of Cheboygan Board of Commissioners, wrote a letter to the Board questioning the return to the counties on local dollars spent to support regional agencies.

Larry Hunter, Equalization Director, met with the Board regarding correspondence from the State Tax Commission, and advised the Board that his department was carrying out all instructions.

LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT by Welch. The parking lot will be left as it is until next year because of the illness of the Custodian. George Erickson, Youth Officer, answered 51 complaints and drove 1,470 miles. He will hold his mileage at \$200.00 or less per month. Application has been made for a grant to update radio equipment. The department drove 15,585 miles and used 1,741 gallons of gas. The ambulance answered 13 calls, of which \$115.00 was paid and \$115.00 is outstanding. Outstanding ambulance bills will be filed with the Prosecuting Attorney.

Jansen Plumbing Service has completed their evaluation of the heating system, and reported that something was wrong beyond their skill.

MOTION by LaGrow, second by Failing, to allow Jansen Plumbing Service to proceed in their evaluation of the county heating system, to include securing an engineer or whatever is necessary. Roll Call. LaGrow, Failing, Carlisle, Harwood, Kauffman, Lowrie, Welch—All Aye. Carried.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Carlisle, to transfer \$1,549.00 from the Contingency Fund to the Sheriff's line item budget for Automobile Expense. Roll Call. Lowrie, Carlisle, Failing, Harwood, Kauffman, LaGrow, Welch—All Aye. Carried.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Carlisle, to transfer \$295.80 from the Contingency Fund and to direct the County Clerk that it is for the express purpose of compensating individuals involved, for private automobile expenses in the tornado of April 19, 20, 21, 1975 and the fire disaster of May 9, 10, 1975 in accordance with schedule submitted by the Sheriff dated October 14, 1975. Roll Call. Lowrie, Carlisle, Failing, Harwood, Kauffman, LaGrow, Welch—All Aye. Carried.

Adjourn for lunch.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT by Welch. Your Committee on Finance would respectfully submit the following as their report, and do hereby recommend that the several amounts scheduled herein be allowed and that the Clerk of this Board be authorized to draw orders on the County Treasurer for the same.

NAME OF CLAIMANT	CHARACTER OF CLAIM	ALLOWED & REJECTED
Consumers Power Company	Electricity	732.80
Michigan Consolidated Gas Co.	Fuel	199.78
General Telephone Company	Telephone Service	1,078.85
Janice L. Cornell	Travel Expense	102.87
Chief Shoppenagons	Jury Meals	88.46
Ronald H. Weyandt, Sheriff	Service of Papers	8.20
Emanuel Tanay, M.D., F.A.P.A.	Medical Expense	300.00
Otsego County	Salaries & Expenses	5,174.74
Edith L. Kerr	Jury Commission	122.50
Harvey J. Rowland	Jury Commission	103.00
Nels P. Olson	Jury Commission	107.50
Leonard Edelman	Prb. Regist. Dues	10.00
Patricia L. Hunter	Juvenile Officer Exp.	451.78
Terry Spencer	Car Radio	250.00
JoAnne Troxel-Linda Sabin	Convention Expense	129.14
Frank H. Millner	Travel Expense	19.96
Douglas Bros. & Co.	Office Supplies	713.66
Crawford County Avalanche	Print. & Off. Supplies	129.77
Steindler Paper Company	Janitor Supplies	317.90
Cadillac Janitor Supply	Janitor Supplies	44.27
Phil Dunckley	Janitor Supplies	90.00
Rochette's Shell Service	Grounds Maintenance	3.33
Cadillac Overall Supply Co.	Janitor Supplies	10.80
Jansen Plumbing Service	Heating & Plumb. Exp.	612.63
Fochtman Motor Co.	Jan. Supp. & Car Exp.	128.20
Miller Hardware	Bldg. Maintenance	20.90
Ralph N. Severance	Polygraphs	225.00
Grayling Office Supply	Office Supplies	181.77
NR Jackets Company	Microfilm Supplies	230.50
Larry D. Hunter	Travel Expense	53.95
Darlene A. Thomas	Conv. Exp. & Trav. Exp.	86.45
Arthur F. Clough	Travel Expense	103.20
George Erickson	Travel Expense	221.85
Larry's Auto Rep. & Tow	Car Expense	108.44
Total Leonard, Inc.	Car Expense	162.62
Kodiak Flying Club	Searches	26.40
Badger Uniforms	Uniforms	458.13
Clinton Office Equip. Co.	Office Supplies	9.20
Communication Service	Radio Equip. Rep.	1,231.65
Commercial Electronics	Radio Maintenance	337.52
Charles Fick	Gasoline	1,242.72
McLeans Pro Mart	Equip. & Supplies	66.19
World Camera & Sound	Film Supplies	5.95
Drs. Dosch & Burkley	Medical Expense	35.00
A & P Food Store	Dog Food	86.90
Joseph Durga	Asst. Car Exp. & Con. Exp.	590.15
Automotive Parts & Supply Co.	Vehicle Expense	12.39
District Health Dept. #1	Appropriation	7,477.50
Willard Bosserman	Cooperative Extension	266.00
Nelson A. Miles	Tax Allocation Appeal	346.70
Carl Hanson	Veteran's Burial	14.00
Copco Papers, Inc.	Copier Supplies	250.10
Xerox Corporation	Copier Rental	368.42
TVMC	Airport Beacon Inspec.	20.00
Wegner Hardware & Supply Co.	Airport Expense	43.14
District Health Dept. #1	Contagious Disease	45.00
Grace Stancil	Planning Comm. Minutes	36.00
Rita Sarraut	Board of Appeals	22.70
Fred Swafford	Board of Appeals	25.10
Camp Margrethe	Watercraft Fuel	47.87
Northern Fire & Safety, Inc.	Equip. & Repair	16.95
Scuba North	Diving Equipment	158.58
Amer. Mus. of Nat. Hist.	Subscriptions	10.00
Scientific American	Subscriptions	15.00
The Bureau of Nat. Affairs	Office Supplies	18.00
Roy P. Papenfus	Travel Expense	220.95
Federal Surplus Property Sec.	Civil Defense	26.05
Howard Taylor	Civil Defense	236.43

MOTION by Welch, second by Harwood, that the report of the Finance Committee be accepted and approved. Roll Call. Welch, Harwood, Carlisle, Failing, Kauffman, LaGrow, Lowrie—All Aye. Carried.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT—BUDGET.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the matter of the county budget for the period beginning January 1, 1976 and ending December 31, 1976, do herewith respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and submit herewith our compilation of the amounts estimated for each of the several departments of the General Fund of the County.

to be required for the period stated. Each of the several amounts have been arrived at after giving due consideration to the estimates for the next ensuing period, and such other information available from the books and records of the activity in each respective department, together with careful consideration of changes and conditions to be met in the future. It is therefore our opinion that this report is complete for the purposes intended and your Committee respectfully recommends its adoption.

(The budget appeared in the October 23rd issue of the Avalanche).

MOTION by Welch, second by Lowrie, that the report of the Finance Committee be accepted, approved and adopted as read in the amount of \$947,165.00 for operation expenses for the year of 1976. Roll Call. Welch, Lowrie, Carlisle, Failing, Kauffman, LaGrow, Harwood—All Aye. Carried.

Public Hearing on the Budget was set for October 24, 1975 at 7:00 p.m. in the Court House.

Letters are to be sent to Crawford County Library, Grayling Chamber of Commerce, East Michigan Tourist Association, Frederic Business Association, Legion Flower Fund, Fireworks Fund, in explanation of no appropriation for the year 1976.

APPORTIONMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

Your Committee on Apportionment to whom was referred the matter of apportioning the several amounts of money to be raised have examined all certificates, statements, papers and records which have been presented to it, relative to taxes which need to be raised and hereby direct that the assessment rolls of the proper townships and city, in proportion to the taxable property in the several townships and city, be as follows.

BEAVER CREEK TOWNSHIP

County	Equalized Value 4,437,306	6.20
County Building		.90
Township		1.00
COOR		.30
COOR Special Education		.75
Community College		1.00
Community College Debt		.40
		10.55

Operating	Crawford AuSable School—3,407,852	7.50
Voted Operating		15.15
Debt Retirement		3.02
		25.67

Operating	Gerrish Higgins School—1,029,454	8.60
Voted Operating		9.00
Debt Retirement		5.00
		22.60

FREDERIC TOWNSHIP

County	Equalized Value 7,387,700	6.20
County Building		.90
Township		1.00
Township Fire		2.00
COOR		.30
COOR Special Education		.75
Community College		1.00
Community College Debt		.40
		12.55

Operating	Crawford AuSable School—7,387,700	7.50
Voted Operating		15.15
Debt Retirement		3.02
		25.67

GRAYLING TOWNSHIP

County	Equalized Value 25,448,600	6.20
County Building		.90
Township		1.00
COOR		.30
COOR Special Education		.75
Community College		1.00
Community College Debt		.40
		10.55

Operating	Crawford AuSable School—25,448,600	7.50
Voted Operating		15.15
Debt Retirement		3.02
		25.67

LOVELLS TOWNSHIP

County	Equalized Value 8,803,650	6.20
County Building		.90
Township		1.00
Township Solid Waste		1.00
COOR		.30
COOR Special Education		.75
Community College		1.00
Community College Debt		.40
		11.55

Operating	Crawford AuSable School—8,803,650	7.50
Voted Operating		15.15
Debt Retirement		3.02
		25.67

MAPLE FOREST TOWNSHIP

County	Equalized Value 2,374,045	6.20
County Building		.90
Township		1.00
COOR		.30
COOR Special Education		.75
Community College		1.00
Community College Debt		.40
		10.55

Operating	Crawford AuSable School—2,374,045	7.50
Voted Operating		15.15
Debt Retirement		3.02
		25.67

SOUTH BRANCH TOWNSHIP

County	Equalized Value 10,933,375	6.20
County Building		.90
Township		1.00
Township Voted Operating		1.50
Township Building Debt		1.00
Township Fire		2.00
COOR		.30
COOR Special Education		.75
Community College		1.00
Community College Debt		.40
		15.05

Operating	Gerrish Higgins School—10,933,375	8.60
Voted Operating		9.00
Debt Retirement		5.00
		22.60

CITY OF GRAYLING

County	Equalized Value 15,133,900	6.20
County Building		.90
COOR		.30
COOR Special Education		.75
Community College		1.00
Community College Debt		.40
		9.55

Operating	Crawford AuSable School—15,133,900	7.50
Voted Operating		15.15
Debt Retirement		3.02
		25.67

CITY AD VALOREM

City Voted		16.00
City Voted		.50
		16.50

MOTION by Welch, second by Harwood, that the report of the Apportionment Committee be accepted, approved and adopted. Roll Call. Welch, Harwood, Carlisle, Failing, Kauffman, LaGrow, Lowrie—All Aye. Carried.

The bills of the several commissioners were allowed at this

time.	Kenneth Carlisle	120.00
	Rolla Failing	360.00
	Patrick Harwood	80.00
	Fred Kauffman	260.00
	Joseph LaGrow	100.00
	Edward Lowrie	380.00
	Dean Welch	360.00

The Chairman recessed the meeting until October 20 at 2:00 p.m.

Fred Kauffman, Chairman
Leo E. Lovely, Clerk

Road Commission Minutes

October 24, 1975

A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling, Chairman Johnson presiding. Members present, Commissioners Harold T. Johnson, Ervin E. Richter and R. LeRoy Millikin, and Engineer Manager John M. Keir. Absent, none.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read. A motion was made by Comm. Richter, supported by Comm. Millikin that the minutes be approved as read. All voted in favor, motion carried.

An application was received from Top O' Michigan Rural Electric Company for a permit to construct an overhead line and cut trees as necessary on Hunter Place, Sec 9, T26N, R4W, Grayling Township. The permit was approved and signed by the Commissioners.

Quotations having been requested from the various distributors for winter maintenance salt, replies were received from International Salt Company at a price of \$16.30 per ton, and from Diamond Crystal at a price of \$14.30 per ton. The Commissioners decided to accept the quotation of Diamond Crystal at \$14.30 per ton.

The tentative plat plan of "Calkins Lovells Subdivision" was presented for approval. This plat, a part of the SE 1/4 of

— School Happenings —

Superintendent's Corner

By Fraser Dean

In the past few years there have been several national polls taken by George Gallup aimed at finding out what citizens knew about their local school systems and how they felt about them. Published in book form and entitled "Community Attitudes Toward Education" (Phi Delta Kappa-Publishing) the polls treated a wide range of subjects including school finance, construction, curriculum, innovation, discipline, etc.

Among other things, Gallup discovered that communities knew very little about their local school boards. For instance, less than half the people interviewed could name a single board member, less than a third knew when and where the school boards met, and almost none knew that school board members received little or no compensation for serving on the boards.

In a speech before the National Association of School Boards Convention last April, Mr. Gallup portrayed the typical American school board member as a parent who had little or no political aspirations but a strong personal commitment to improve their community and school system.

In light of Mr. Gallup's findings, I'd like to invite all interested persons to attend a meeting of the Crawford-AuSable School Board. Unless otherwise announced, the regular meetings of the Board are held in the basement of the School Board Office every second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.



SAND-CRAFTING—The week of October 13th was a busy one for the second-graders in Mrs. Knibb's room. On Wednesday the students created some very interesting and unusual designs employing the Southwestern Indian craft of sand-crafting. Pictured here are a few students proudly displaying their projects. The colors and designs (in reality too good to be true!) cannot fully be appreciated in black and white photography.

PTA Membership Drive Continues At Middle School Open House

The new Crawford-AuSable PTA received eighty new members at the Grayling Elementary School Open House and the Frederic Elementary School Open House. A very good beginning.

The next opportunity to join the PTA will be at the Middle School Open House, Wednesday evening, November 12, 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. and Thursday afternoon, November 13, 12:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Crawford-AuSable PTA urges you to respond to the invitations you will be receiving from the school asking you to visit your child's teachers on one of those days.

from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

- November 7, 1865-Lewis and Clark sight the Pacific Ocean for the first time at the mouth of the Columbia River in Oregon.
- November 8, 1889-Montana is admitted as the nation's 41st state.
- November 9, 1933-President Franklin Roosevelt creates the Civil Works Administration as an emergency agency to provide jobs for 4 million unemployed Americans.
- November 10, 1775-The U.S. Marine Corps is authorized by the Continental Congress.
- November 11, 1918-Veterans' Day—formerly Armistice Day.
- November 12, 1929-Judge Kenesaw Landis is appointed the first major league baseball commissioner.
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FIRE SAFETY—Fire safety is the special theme for Mrs. McEver's class this week. The Frederic fire department sent a fire truck and two firemen to our school. Our class wants to say a big "Thank You" to the Frederic fire department for making the study of fire safety more interesting. To help our families have safer homes, each child is learning how to be a fire patrol. Each patrol child is making a fire extinguisher, to be used in the kitchen, in case a fire develops.

School Activities Calendar

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Week of November 7 to 13

Friday, November 7

There will be a high school All School Dance in the high school cafe tonight.

Saturday, November 8

Tonight is the second concert in the Artist Course Series, featuring the Central Michigan Symphony in concert at the Joseph Stripe Auditorium. Doors open at 7:15 and the concert begins at 8:00 p.m.

Monday, November 10

Drama Club rehearsal in the auditorium.

Tuesday, November 11

The Girl's Basketball team will travel to Petoskey. There is play practice in the auditorium.

Wednesday, November 12

Drama Club Play Practice in the Auditorium.

Thursday, November 13

The Girl's Basketball Team will take on Cheboygan in an on the road contest. Play practice in the auditorium.



POLICE DUTIES EXPLAINED—On Monday, Chief Pete Stephan came to visit Mrs. Brown's and Mrs. Yatch's 2nd graders. He talked to them about the duties of a policeman and tried to answer all of their many questions. He showed them his gun, bullets, badge and handcuffs. He also took some pictures, with a new camera used in identifying fingerprints. It was an interesting afternoon! In the above picture, Kathy Golinick and Kathy Reisinger are wondering how they are going to get out of the handcuffs as Chief Stephan and Tommy Lozon look on.

Frederic Elementary News

Open House

Many children and parents enjoyed the school open house. After viewing the rooms and equipment, coffee and cake was served to everyone.

Number News

Some students in Mr. Hatfield's class have moved into a multiplication group where they multiply problems like this: 123 x 45.

Welcome

The entire class has a new volunteer aide. K. Hunter comes in every Wednesday morning to help.

Army Assembly

A man from the U.S. Army talked to all the children about explosives that the guard uses. Many are left in the woods and can be dangerous if touched or otherwise disturbed. We had a valuable lesson on what to do if we find an explosive.

Ancient World Study

Students in Mrs. Wilcox and Mr. Skoglund's group are making models of pyramids and sphinxes from ancient Egypt. Mrs. Wilcox gave us something to choose from but most of the people have chosen to make sphinxes and pyramids and the inside of pyramids. Mrs. Wilcox also set up a program that allows the class to play math games every Friday. by Jeff Webb and Margine Lozon.

Busy Group

Mrs. Ingvarsson's class finished reading "Ralph and the Motorcycle" and they are writing their own Ralph stories. Pentagons, hexagons, and octagons are becoming part of the vocabulary of the class. They're learning about different shapes. They created some of their own shapes in the art center.

Donation

A big thanks to the volunteer aides for their donation to our library. Mrs. Henion, Mrs. Maki, Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Caid gave us four new books.

Middle School News

In Mrs. Fruchey's fifth grade class they are doing many different projects. One of their biggest projects is drawing Early American Flags. These flags are for the Bicentennial and are displayed on their bulletin board. In dedication of Halloween they have written many "spooky stories". They also wrote book reports and then illustrated the front page which were also displayed on the Bulletin Boards.

Art has been an exciting project in Miss Wargos' sixth grade class. Each student had a chance to design their own T-shirt. The students used a piece of construction paper and drew on it what picture they would like to have on their own shirt. They then displayed them on the board for all the class to look at. Also for Halloween the students drew up their own "Monster posters". It is an exciting room to look at. In commemoration of the Bicentennial the students in Miss Wargos' class have been constructing different types of flags that America has had in the past.

Mr. Stockton's class has been studying the American Revolution for History. Each student has written a mystery story, and they are all looking forward to getting their report cards next week.

In the seventh and eighth grade many exciting things are happening. For Halloween the students and teachers came dressed in crazy costumes. Twelve prizes were given for the ugliest, funniest, and most creative costumes that were worn. The seventh grade held an ugly contest and raffled off a large stuffed dog to raise money for their sadly depleted treasure.

School pictures are in and everyone is busy exchanging photos with their friends.

By Beth Trenary and Dawn Goodrich

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